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Rea Bedford L. Harding Master 2

5 Monday July 14<sup>th</sup> 1838  
Commences with Light wind from the  
E. N. E. mid part Strong winds from the  
E. N. E. Employed in from 10 till half past 2<sup>nd</sup> in  
in refing. 3 sails Later part Light winds  
from the N. E. heading E. N. E. with rain. So ends

6 Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> 1838

Commences with Light  
wind. 10<sup>th</sup> mid part calm with latter  
Part Light winds from the N. E.  
So ends these 2 days

7 Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> 1838

First part Calm Employed in  
Ship's duty mid part moderate  
Latter part the same employed in  
Ship's duty

8 Thursday July 18<sup>th</sup> 1838  
First part Calm. mid part the  
same 10<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Strong winds  
from the N. E. heading E. N. E.  
Three Ship in sight to the seaward  
Latter part moderate So ends

9 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> 1838

First part moderate wind E. N. E.  
Course E. S. E. at 3. 5<sup>th</sup> Lowered for  
Blackish without clouds in  
N. W. Course E. S. E. mid part moderate



3 Remarks on Board Ship *London* of

10 Saturday 20th 1839  
Commence with Light winds  
from the N.E. Course E.S.E.  
employed in ships duty mid and  
later part the same do Ends

11 Sunday 21st 1839  
first part moderate wind N.W.  
Course E.S.E. employed in ships duty  
Later part the same duty do 38.42

12 Monday 22nd 1839  
Commence with Light winds  
from the W.W. heading E.S.E.  
mid and later part the same do Ends

13 Tuesday 23rd 1839  
first part moderate wind west W.  
steering E. mid part the same  
later part strong winds do Ends

14 Tuesday 24th 1839  
Commence with strong wind  
from the W.W. steering E. mid  
and later part the same do Ends

15 Wednesday 25th 1839  
first part strong wind from  
the W.W. heading E. later part  
the same do Ends



16

Thursday 25th 1838

Threat 24 strong winds from  
the N. & W. pleasant weather  
P.M. & later Part E. & S. & E. & S.

17

Friday 26th 1838

first part strong  
winds from the N. & W. & N. & W. & N. & W.  
P.M. & later part more moderate  
E. & S. & E. & S.

18

Saturday 27th 1838

first part moderate  
winds from the N. & W. & N. & W.  
P.M. & later part moderate  
E. & S. & E. & S.

19

Sunday 28th 1838

Commenced with light  
wind from the N. & W. Steaming  
E. & S. at 4 P.M. Saw a school of sperm  
whales and several and without  
difficulty at dusk left home aboard  
and took in sail at 12 hours then  
to heading N by W at 5 P.M. saw a  
whale lowered and struck took the  
line ends with strong breeza  
Lat 39.45





5 Remarks on Board Ship London.

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Monday 28<sup>th</sup> 1839

Commence with strong wind  
from the S.W. steering S.E. by E  
Saw to Sails. Standing to the North  
mid part the same latter part more  
moderate So Ends

21

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> 1839

first part moderate wind from  
the N.W. heading E.S.E. and part  
wind in latter part the same So Ends

22

Wednesday 30 1839

first part moderate wind  
from the N.W. steering N.E.  
mid part the same heading N.E. by E  
latter part strong wind So Ends

23

Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> 1839

first part strong wind from  
the N.W. heading S.W. mid and latter  
part the same So Ends

24

Friday Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1839

first moderate wind from  
the N.W. steering S.W. and  
Layall at 3 o'clock in top gallard  
Sail and stood off and on  
till 6 am then then came back  
recut a new sheet till 10 o'clock  
then came aboard went to work  
and stood till 12 o'clock



of New Bedford E. Harding Master

25 Saturday 2<sup>d</sup> 1889

Strong winds from the  
W. Standing off and on Gayle  
at Dark Boat came aboard  
at 6 A.M. went up shore  
at End

26 Sunday 3<sup>d</sup> 1889

At 4 P.M. recruits came  
on board at 6 Boat came a  
Board and maid out and  
stood to sea in company  
with ship. Richman's Hotel  
of Thurler's moderate winds  
from the westward at 9 A.M.  
Capt from the R.R. came on Board  
at End Lat 37.35

27 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> 1889

first part calm at 4 Capt  
went aboard at 9 light wind from  
the south mid part light wind from  
the S.W. latter part the same at End

28 Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> 1889

Remains calm with calm mid  
part the same latter part light  
winds from the E.N.E. Moving south  
Richman's Hotel in company at End

Harmon Hammett

Aug 1889



Ship London of New Bedford

21 Wednesday 6th 1888  
Commence with light wind  
from the ESE steering S. All men  
employed in ships duty and for  
strong breezes latter part more moderate  
De Ends the 24 hours Lately 34.15

30 Thursday 8th 1888  
first part wind from the  
Eastward steering South mid  
and latter part calm employ  
in setting up the main Rigger  
De Ends

31 Friday Aug 9th 1888  
first part calm but clear  
employed in ships duty at  
4 P.M. Laid a chest of clothes at  
anchor mid and latter part  
calm De Ends

32 Aug Saturday 10th 1888  
first part calm ship  
A. Mitchell in sight at 8 P.M.  
saw on dipper mid part  
calm at 5 A.M. saw Black fish  
saw and took one came  
a board got Breakfast then were  
of chased till he came a board  
De Ends the 24 hours

William Hammett



~~P. Harding Master on the Whaling Ship~~

83 Aug Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> 1839  
first part calm chased Black  
fish till 4 then came a board  
light wind from the N.E. steering  
S.S.W. mid and latter part the same  
So ends these 24 hours

All by the 33. 34 North  
84 Aug Monday 12<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with moderate wind  
from the Eastward steering S. by N  
mid part wind from E.S.E. steering S.W.  
Latter part the same but sail in  
light so ends

85 Aug Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> 1839

first fresh fresh wind from  
E steering S.S.W. mid part the  
same Latter part the same so ends

86 Aug Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with strong  
wind from E steering S.W.  
mid and latter part the same

87 Aug Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with strong  
wind from the N.E. steering S.W.  
mid and latter part the same  
employed in rigging & setting  
So ends

Living Master H



Journal on Board Ship Concord

38 Friday Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1839  
first part strong wind from  
N. by N. steering S by W mid and  
latter part the same

39 Aug Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> 1839  
commences with fresh wind  
from the N. by N. steering S by W  
mid part the same at 10 A.M.  
spoke the Brig Solon of Poteau  
three months out with 500 lbs of sperm  
Bound to Bristol Banks S. End

40 Aug Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 1839  
commences with light wind  
S. by E standing on the wind  
with S. by W took aboard mid part  
calm at 1 A.M. made St Anthony  
latter strong wind S. End

41 Aug Monday 19<sup>th</sup> 1839  
first part strong wind  
from the S. by E steering S. by E  
mid part calm at 4 P.M.  
moderate wind from S. by E at 8  
A.M. made Trago and Brabe  
S. End

42 Aug Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> 1839  
commences with moderate  
wind from the S. by E laying off  
and on Brabe the Boat a shore  
mid part fire at 4 A.M. Boat went  
there latter part the same



New Bedford 9 Harding Master

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43. Aug Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> 1858

Left with strong wind from  
the N. Daying of 10 on Board  
the Boat a shore at 15. P.M. Boat  
came on Board and put  
storing in company with  
Ship Stephenie of N Bedford  
Tiller sent the same  
Left by 18.25

44. Aug Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> 1858

Left with fair wind from  
N. Steering. Raining in  
company with Ship Stephenie  
and put in. D.P. heading  
S.W. at 3 P.M. took up 90  
sails with heavy gathering of  
wind. Tiller sent more  
pleasant a sail in sight  
Left by 12.44

45. Aug Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> 1858

Left with light wind  
from the S.W. Ship heading  
to the S and E with heavy shower  
of Rain. mid. part calm at 10  
Light Breeze from the South  
standing on the wind with  
Harvard Tack on Board  
Left with fine weather  
to End 11.39  
by Harv. Harv. of  
Beret



West Ship, London of New Bedford

46 Aug Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> / 1835  
Sailed with fresh wind  
from the S.W. with squalls  
of Rain. Mid and Latter Part  
Light Breeze from the S.W. &c

47 Aug Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> / 1835  
Sailed with light wind  
from the S.W. steering South  
at 9 P.M. a Brig passed under  
our lee at day light & was  
in sight the rest part of the  
24 hours fine weather so End

48 Aug Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> / 1835  
Sailed with light wind  
from the S.W. steering South  
Mid and Latter part the same  
employed in making main sail  
so End

49 Aug Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> / 1835  
Sailed with wind from S.W.  
heading S. with squalls of Rain.  
two sail in sight Mid and Latter  
part fresh winds employed in  
ships Sails so End Lat. S. 30

50 Aug Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> / 1835  
Sailed with fresh winds from  
the S.W. heading S.E. three  
sail in sight at 2 took in top gals  
sails at 4 set them mid and Latter  
part the same Lat. S. 45



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B. Harding Master on a Whaling Voyage

61 Sept Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Calm with strong wind  
from S.E. steering N.W. by N  
mid latter part of day with  
strong breezes Lat 9.33

Long 26.18  
62 Sept Monday 9<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Calm with strong wind  
from South East steering N.W. by N  
mid part the same latter part  
heaved top sails So Ends

63 Sept Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Calm with strong wind  
from the S.E. and squally steering  
S.W. mid and latter part the same  
Lat 14.91

64 Sept Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Calm with strong wind  
from the South East steering  
S.W. mid part the same latter  
part more moderate So Ends

Lat 15.58  
65 Sept Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> 1858  
Calm with moderate winds  
from the S.E. steering S.W. by N  
at 5 P.M. spoke the ship Sarah  
of Nantucket and some of the D.D.  
hoops came on board at 12 set standing  
sails latter part employed in setting  
up stays So Ends Lat by Obs 18.36  
Long by Chron 29



18 Ship London of New Bedford on  
63. Sept Friday 13<sup>th</sup> 1889

Contd with moderate winds from  
from E. Steering S by E. at 2 P.M. made  
the island of Trinidad latter part calm  
Employed in repairing mainsail & En

63. Sept Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> 1889

Contd with calm. Employed in  
repairing mainmast at 6. Light breeze  
from S.W. heading S.E. Mid part strong  
breeze at 12 tacked ship at 2 P.M. took in  
top & sheet sails latter part squally  
at 10 A.M. Double reefed top sails wind  
S.E. by E to En

66 Sept Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> 1889

Contd with strong wind  
from S.E. heading S by W at took  
the jib and mainsail and sp.aker  
mid latter part the same at 2.30

69. Sept Monday 16<sup>th</sup> 1889

Contd with heavy gales from  
E.S.E. heading S. at 12 wind hauled  
to the North at Day. Light made sail  
at 4 set fore topmast & mudding sail  
latter part more moderate S by E at 2.30

70. Sept Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> 1889

Contd with moderate wind from  
N by E steering S at 5 saw sperm whale  
leaved without success came on board  
took in sail mid part squally with thunder  
and lightning at 10 light made sail  
latter part strong wind to En



a Whaling Voyage to New Holland 1839  
71. Sept Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Cont with strong wind and rain  
from East at 2 P.M. took in main  
topgallant & dail mainsail & set  
Double reefed topsails mid part squall  
with rain wind N.W. steering S.E. & at  
day light made sail & ended Latt by the 31. 13.

72. Sept Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Cont with strong breezes and  
squalls from N.W. steering S.E. & P. at  
5 P.M. took in Mizzen topsail mid  
part squally with rain at 2. A.M.  
took in fore topsail and double reefed  
the main topsail and turned up the main  
Boat latter part more moderate steering  
S.E. by P. & ended Latt by the 31. 13.

73. Sept Friday 20<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Cont with strong breezes from  
N.W. & S. steering S.E. by P. at 5. With  
the mainsail and Mizzen topsail  
mid part moderate at 5 A.M. turned  
reefs out of the topsails and set  
fore and main topgallant  
sails at 8 took in topgallant  
sails latter part strong breeze  
from the southwest steering  
N by E to E. ended Latt by the 31. 13.

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13 Ship Comander of New Bedford on

74 Sept Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> 1838  
Commenced with strong breeze  
from the westward steering  
S. by E. Mid part the same  
Latter pleasant & sent down the fore  
& main top sails to Ends  
Lat 35° 43' Long by Chron 22° 05' W

75 Sunday Sept 22<sup>d</sup>  
First part strong breeze from W. S. W.  
steering S. E. saw 2 fin backs at sunset double  
reef the topsails & chose greater watches  
Mid part moderate at day light made  
all sail Lat the same several fin backs in sight  
to Ends Lat 36° 50' Long 19° 57' W

76 Monday Sept 23<sup>d</sup>  
First part pleasant breeze from the  
steering S. E. E. one sail in sight & at dark  
took in sail set the watch Mid part the  
same Latter cloudy Employed in fitting  
the new boat thus Ends Lat 36° 49' Long 16° 54'

77 Tuesday Sept 24<sup>th</sup>  
First part fresh breeze from South  
reading S. E. E. at 4 P. M. on bent the fore  
& main topsails & bent the new ones at 7 at the  
watch Mid part moderate Latter the same  
Employed in breaking out for provisions  
& water to Ends Lat by Chron 36° 43' E



# Whaling Voyage Towards New Holland 20

84 Tuesday Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1839

15  
5  
15  
20

Commences with a strong  
breeze from N. steering E  
employed and fitting the  
boats mid part steering S. E. & E  
Squally close reefed the main  
top sail 8 A.M. commenced  
boiling out To End

James A. Powell

85 Wednesday Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1839

17 1/2  
5  
8 5/2  
8 1/2  
17 1/2  
8 1/2  
6 1/2

commences with light  
breeze from the N.W. steering  
E. S. E. employed in boiling  
mid part the same at day light  
cooled down latter part empl  
oyed in clearing up decks  
To End

Thursday Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1839

100  
50  
50  
100  
60  
8 1/2  
9 1/2  
17 1/2

commences with moderate  
breeze from the S.W. steering  
E. S. E. saw a school of hump  
back and killers mid part the  
same at E. P. M. saw a whale  
but did not name him To End

86 Friday Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 1839

600  
Commences

commences with moderate  
breeze from the S. S. W. steering  
E. S. E. employed in towing  
down hump back in weight  
mid part the same latter part  
employed in breaking out and  
fitting up Shooks To End



# Ship's Log of New Bedford on

Went and spent the evening with Mr. Henry J. Randall. George Pierce was there. Stayed 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Dec. went for me to the 10<sup>th</sup> Dec.

8.8.

Saturday Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1839

Commences with Light air from S. by E. heading East. Employed in setting up Shooks mid part the same. Latter part Employed in breaking out and setting up Shooks. So Ends Log 7.00.0. Sathy 33.15.

Henry J. Randall

Sunday Sept 4<sup>th</sup> 1839

Commences with Light air from the S. by E. heading S. E. Employed in breaking out mid part the same. Latter part Moderate plenty of spin back in sight. So Ends

Henry J. Randall

Monday Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 1839

Commences with Moderate wind from the S. by E. heading S. E. mid and Latter part calm. So Ends

Henry J. Randall

Tuesday Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1839

Commences with Light wind from the S. by E. heading S. by E. mid part squally at 1.15 pm Double reefed topsails at 3 took in the mainsail and spanker and hauled the bow Boat up heading S. by E. in End. So Ends

Henry J. Randall



A Whaling Voyage to New Holland <sup>22</sup>

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Wednesday Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1885

Commenced with strong  
breezes from the S. S. W.  
Heaving to by 10 at 8 P.M.  
Set the mainsail and put the  
same latter part strong breezes  
at Endo Lute by 11 33, 18

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Thursday Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1835

Commenced with strong  
 breezes with small employ  
 in mending big top gillnet  
 sail. <sup>at 11 AM</sup> P.M. saw whales  
 called them Right whales  
 and took <sup>the</sup> main sail  
 latter part the same at  
 day light set the mainsail  
 21 Ends

Friday Oct 11<sup>th</sup> 1835

Commences with strong winds from S. & S. heading E. at 2 PM packed ships heading S. N. and latter part the same so ends.

Letter by the S.S. 50

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Saturday Oct 12 1839

Concluded with  
strong breezes from the N.E. &  
leading S.W. and part the same  
at daylight set the top gallant  
sail at 12 took it in & end  
Left by the 3.5. 4.5

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# Whaling voyage towards New Holland

100,

Thursday Oct 17<sup>th</sup> 1855

Commences with Light  
wind from the E by S  
Heading S. mid part calm  
at 5.00 Light wind from  
the S.W. heading S.E.  
Later part the same

101

Friday Oct 18<sup>th</sup> 1855

Commences with moder-  
ate wind from S heading  
S.E. mid and latter  
part moderate steering  
East so ends the 24<sup>th</sup>

102

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> 1855

Commences with calm  
at 2.00 P.M. saw black fish  
Lowered and took two  
mid part Light air  
from North steering  
S.E. by E. Latter part free  
breeze so ends the 24<sup>th</sup>

103

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 1855

Commences with  
fresh breeze from  
the North steering S.E. by E  
at 5.00 P.M. took in top  
gall sail and reefed the  
miz top sail Showers of Rain  
So Ends

the day is fine and pleasant but the wind begins to blow at the same  
places of snow this day is fine with the wind south-east from it to

To S S S S S

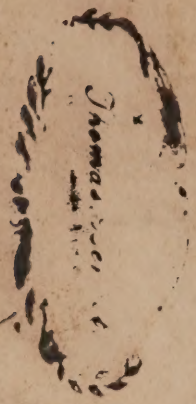


Ship London of New Bedford on a

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Monday Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1835

commenced with strong  
breeze from the N.W.  
heading S.E. sending under  
double reefed top sails at 11 P.M.  
took in the top sail very  
quickly with lightening & rain



105

Tuesday Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> 1835

commenced with squally  
weather from the N.W.  
steering S.E. going 10  
miles by the log at 6 P.M.  
sounded no bottom but  
part of the N.W. line  
weather set the main sail  
as well as the fore part of the  
main reef out of the top sail  
and set the top galled sail  
Long by Chron 24. 18. E. Lat by the 56. 40.



Wednesday Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1835

Commenced with a fair  
breeze from the S.W.  
steering S.E. by E. two sail  
in sight and part the  
fore part of the great  
of five boats in sight  
employed in repairing  
main sail & O.D.

may 1 pair of shoes \$2.50  
gross 1 bus 25 to yard 11 yards



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108.

Thursday Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with light  
breeze from S. W. heading  
S. E. by E at 5 P.M. showers  
of rain. Tumbled the main  
I got steering N. E. at 12 Am  
saw a brig took her a private  
she maneuvered around till  
she saw what we was then  
she kept her of and left us  
at 2 P.M. saw a ship standing  
East latter part employed  
in main topsail. So Ends

Friday Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with a  
light breeze from the  
S. E. mid part calm  
at 1 P.M. strong breeze E N E  
steering S. E. Latter part the  
same So Ends

Saturday Oct 26<sup>th</sup> 1839

commenced with strong  
breeze from the S. W.  
steering S. E. at 5 P.M.  
took in main sail and  
double reefed the top sail.  
mid part the same at  
daylight saw two ships  
standing to the S. merchant  
man at 3 let out our reef  
latter part the same

109.

From 6<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> of Nov at Fairport of Nov to Dec.

Have been down to the village tonight  
and have seen other ships looking for



27 Ship London of New Bedford on a

110 Sunday Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Commences with moderate  
wind from the westward  
steering S. by E at 1 P.M. set the  
top gallt sail and mainsail  
mid part Light winds Latter  
part moderate Steaming S. by E  
fin backs in sight so ends

112 Monday Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Commences with  
Light wind from the  
S. by E steering S. by E  
mid and Latter part the  
same so ends the 24 hours

113 Tuesday Oct 29<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Commences with  
Light wind from the  
S. by E heading S. by E  
at 5 P.M. backed ship  
heading S. by E mid part  
moderate heading S. by E  
latter part the same so ends

114 Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> 1839  
Commences with the wind from  
the N. E steering by the wind  
S. by E middle part furled the  
main top gallant sail and reefed  
the mizen topsail latter part made  
all sail so ends

non of John Ellis on the 3<sup>rd</sup> and died June 15<sup>th</sup> 1844  
He was 14 years old 2 m. 10 d. 10 h. 10 m. 10 s.



Whaling Voyage - P. Harding Master

- 115 Thursday 31 1839 Com  
with the wind from N E steering S by E  
middle and latter part the same  
so ends this 24 hours and month  
Latitude 37 13 Lon 41 32
- 116 Friday November 1<sup>st</sup> 1839 Com  
with a calm at 5 lowered for blackfish starboard  
boat struck one and felled him a long side at  
sunset a breeze from E by S ship heading -  
N E by N middle and latter part calm so ends
- 117 Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> 1839 Com  
with a calm one watch was tried in trying out  
the blackfish middle part the same at 10 pm  
a light breeze sprang up from the N E heading  
E S E on the wind so ends
- 118 Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Com  
with a light breeze from N E ship heading E S E  
middle part the same latter part the same the  
main-top gallentail so ends
- 119 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a strong breeze from N by E ship heading  
E at 1 A M Double reefed the topsails  
middle part squally at 7 P M the wind hauled  
to the S W course N E with shower so ends
- 120 Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a strong wind from S W course E at 8 a  
pumped ship dry in 5 minutes middle part the  
same latter part shook out the reefs so ends



Ship Concord of New Bedford on a  
121 Wednesday Nov. 6 1839 Com  
with a strong breeze from S by E ship heading  
E mid part took a reef in the topsails  
latter part the same ship heading N E so ends

122 Thursday 7 4 1839 Com  
with a strong breeze from E S E heading N E  
at 5 AM were ship heading E mid  
and latter part the same so ends

123 Friday 8 4 1839 Com  
with a strong breeze from E N E heading  
S E mid part the same lat heavy showers  
of rain at 8 AM took in the mizzen  
top sail main sail and gill so ends

124 Saturday 9 4 1839 Com  
with strong breezes from E S E heading E  
on the mid mid part heavy showers  
called all hands and took in sail and  
have the ship too so ends

125 Sunday 10 4 1839 Com  
with strong breeze from the south heading  
E S E mid part the same latter part  
the storm abated set the main sail gill  
and spanker so ends

126 Monday 11 4 1839 Com  
with a fine breeze from S E by S heading  
E by N mid part hauled S E by E were  
ship heading S by W lat part made all sail  
so ends



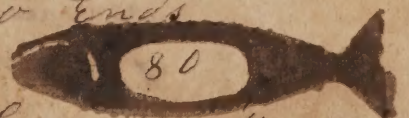
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127 Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> 1839. Com  
with a light air from S by E heading  
S by W mid part raining latter part  
balm so ends Latitude 33-41 Lon 55.21

128 Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a light breeze from N Course SSE  
mid part wind N E Steaming ESE  
latter part much the same, so ends  
Latitude 34,22

129 Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a fine breeze from NNE Course  
ESE mid strong breeze with squalls  
rain and lightning very sharp Douth  
reefed topsails and furl'd main sail and  
gib latter part moderate shook out the  
sails wind WNW So Ends  
Longitude 60,47

130 Friday 15<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a strong breeze from SSW took in sail  
and hove the ship too at 6 saw  
about 100 right whales breaching  
sporting and turning flukes  
set the watch boats crews mid and  
latter part the same So Ends

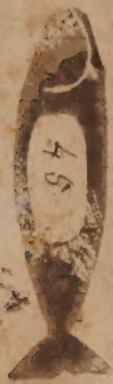


131 Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com with  
the wind from S by S heading SE at 7 saw a  
right whale lowered but did not strike came  
on board wind moderate made all sail and  
stood along. at 10 saw the phoenix of Sag Harbor  
spoke her and gammet she had got 9 whales this  
season and 1000 barrels last latter part fine breeze from N  
at 7 saw whales and lowered and got one starboard boat So ends



Ship Concord of New Bedford on a  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com

with a fine breeze from the North at 5<sup>PM</sup> saw  
a whale breved and brought him along side  
the boat, took in sail and set the watch boats  
crew mid<sup>seem eve</sup> fine at 4<sup>PM</sup> commenced work  
at 9 saw another whale breved but did not strike  
came on board and commenced trying out, So Ends



133

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Com  
with a fine breeze from the North  
cruising for whales saw one whale going to  
the windward at 6<sup>PM</sup> joined with the Phoenix  
Mid and part latter calm, one water trying  
out So Ends this glorious day

134

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with the wind from all waters nothing in  
sight Mid part the same at Day light  
made sail at 9<sup>PM</sup> took it in, all hands  
employed in boiling out and stowing So Ends

135

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> 1839 Com  
with a light wind from E heading  
N N E at 5<sup>PM</sup> finished boiling and  
gammed with the Phoenix latter part wind  
W S W heading south So Ends

136

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> 1839 Com  
with a fresh breeze from N N W heading  
W foggy at 5<sup>PM</sup> saw a whale that  
the Phoenix had gallied Mid part the  
same latter part fine weather So Ends



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138 Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> 1839 Corn

8888 with a fine breeze from WNW ship  
heading S<sup>W</sup> at 3 PM gammed north  
Phoenix mid part the same latter part  
strong breeze from SSW laying too  
8888 by the wind heading SE by S, so ends

139 Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> 1839 Corn

9999 with a strong breeze from W by S  
ship heading S by W laying too  
mid part moderate, wind WSW ship  
heading W latter part fresh breeze from  
SSW steering East, so ends

139 Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 1839 Corn

with a fresh breeze from SSW steering  
East at 3 PM double reefed the topsail  
took in, the mainsail and gib at 4 PM  
took on sail and hoisted her two under  
close reefed maintopsail and fore topmast  
staysail ship heading SSW E in part the  
wind hauled round to the west ship  
heading SSW W latter part the same so ends

Latitude 35. 8. S

140 Monday 25<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commenced

with a strong breeze from SSW heading WSW  
mid part more moderate, at 5 PM set fore and  
mizen topsail and foresail and wore ship heading  
ESE at 9 AM made all sail steering E  
latter part the same so ends

Latitude 34, 45 Longitude 53, 6



Ship Condor of New Bedford on a  
 141 Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
 with the wind from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> E at  
 7 P<sup>M</sup> took in all sail but double reefed  
 maintopsail a foresail and kept her going  
 her course mid part the same latter part wind  
 N<sup>E</sup> by E ship heading N<sup>W</sup> by W So Ends

142 Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
 with a fine breeze from N<sup>W</sup> E ship  
 heading S<sup>W</sup> by W at 7 P<sup>M</sup> took in sail  
 Ship <sup>heading</sup> N<sup>W</sup> by E mid part the same latter part  
 fine breeze from S<sup>W</sup> E heading N at saw a  
 whale going to the S<sup>W</sup> tacked ship but  
 could not come up with him So Ends

143 Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
 with a fresh breeze from E tacked ship  
 and stood S<sup>S</sup> E by course at 4 P<sup>M</sup> took in  
 sail and kept her her course mid part the same  
 latter part thick and rainy at 4 P<sup>M</sup> close  
 reefed the maintopsail and furled the foresail  
 So Ends

144 Friday 29<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
 with a strong breeze from N<sup>W</sup> E and cloudy  
 with rain Ship heading S<sup>S</sup> E at 6 wind  
 hauled round to the west at 4<sup>th</sup> hove her too  
 heading S<sup>S</sup> W mid part the same at 5 made  
 all sail wind N<sup>W</sup> steering S<sup>E</sup> S. Ends  
 Latitude 35.22 Longitude 67.20

145 Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
 with a strong breeze from N<sup>W</sup> steering  
 S<sup>E</sup> at 7 P<sup>M</sup> took in sail and hove too heading  
 mid part the same at daylight made all sail steering S<sup>E</sup>  
 So Ends Lat 35.27 28



Whaling Voyage, E Harding Master

- 146 Sunday December 1<sup>st</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a pleasant breeze from N<sup>W</sup> steering  
E N E at Sun Set took in sail and kept her  
her course, Mid part the same at Day light made  
all sail, at 6 A M saw 2 right whales bound to the  
windward So Ends Lat 34-10 Lon 67-45
- 147 Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a fine breeze from the South heading  
E S E at 7 P M double reefed the topsail and  
took in gaff Mid part the same at Day light  
latter part the same So Ends Lat 34 S
- 148 Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a pleasant breeze from the S W heading  
S S E at 6 Spoke the Sln Pike of New Bedford  
with 21 Whales, took in sail and laid by Mid part  
the same at Daylight made all sail heading S S E  
latter part the same So Ends this 24 hours
- 149 Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a fine breeze from S W heading S S E  
at sunset took in sail and laid by Mid part  
the same at Day light made all sail and stood  
along heading S by W latter part the same So Ends
- 150 Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a strong breeze from W by S heading S by W  
at 6 Spoke the Ship Liverpool of New Bedford  
Capt Joseph Portuguese Thomas with 21,000 lbs  
oil Mid part the same latter part light air from  
S S W steering S E So Ends Lat 36 = 07  
Lon by Chron 72 = 02



Ship Condor of New Bedford on a  
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151 Friday Dec 6<sup>th</sup> Commences

with a light breeze from the SSW steering SE,  
Mid part the same latter part the wind  
SW steering SE at 10 AM saw right  
whales bound to the south lowered but  
did not strike so Ends Lat 25 55

152

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a light air from SW steering  
SE at 5 saw a shoal of blackfish lowered  
and fastened to 3 and brought 1 along side  
hauled on board and Dumble reefed the  
topsails and set the watch Mid part the  
same at daylight made sail latter part  
employed in chasing whales so Ends

80

153

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a light air from W steering SE at  
sunset lowered and struck a whale and  
brought her along side 8 boat Stove Mid  
part the same at daylight commenced cutting  
at 8 AM lowered and sunk one latter part  
the same Lat 36-40

69

154 Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Commences

with fine weather at 2 PM lowered  
and brought one along side 2 boat  
and cut him in AM at sunset were boiling out  
Mid part the same at Day Light made  
sail and stood to the W at 7 were ship  
all hands employed in boiling out so Ends  
Lat 36-40 30



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155 Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> Commences

with fine weather ship heading N nothing in sight at sunset employed in taking in sail and toying mid part the same at daylight made sail latter part one watch employed in boiling out so ends

156

Wednesday 11 Commences

with a light air N N W heading N N E one watch employed in boiling mid part fresh breeze from E steering N S W at 5 P M finished boiling at 6 commenced stowing down 3 mfn sail so ends

157

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> Commences

with a strong breeze from E steering N S W at 7 P M finished stowing down took in sail and laid heading S by E mid part and latter part the same so ends

Lat 37.35 Long 74.31

158

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> 1859 Commences

with a strong breeze from E heading S S E at sunset took in sail mid part the same at Day light made all sail heading S E latter part the same so ends

Lat 38.50

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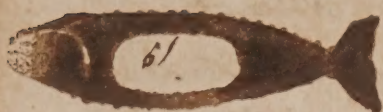
Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> Commences

with a fresh breeze from E N E heading S E at 4 P M took the Lagrange of New Bedford Capt Tuber with 350 bbls mid part the same at 8 saw a right whale bowed struck and Drawed same on to the East so ends

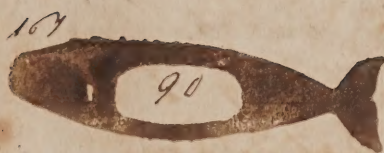


Ship Condor of New Bedford on a

150 December 16<sup>th</sup> 1889 Commence



with a strong breeze from N E  
steering to the eastward at 2 P M  
saw whales lowered and starboard boat  
brought one alongside came on board  
and put her in and commenced  
loading mid part the same latter  
part the same so ends



Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Commence  
with a strong breeze from the  
N E heading to the E at 4 P M  
saw a whale lowered and the  
low boat brought one along side  
came on board and set the watch  
boats crews mid part the same  
at daylight called all hands on  
and cut in the whale and started  
the work. So ends

Lat 38 40

162

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> 1889 Commence  
with a light breeze from the N  
heading E N E, one watch employed  
in trying out mid part thick and  
raining rolled down at 4 P M saw a  
whale lowered but did not strike at  
the wire ship heading S E at Day light made  
sail at ~~low~~ as whale lowered but did  
not strike so ends

Lat 38 17



Whaling Voyage of E. Harding Master

153 Wednesday Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S E heading  
SSW at 4 P M saw the Selma of N Bedford  
Capt Wilcox with 6 whright whales and 400  
sperm gammed with her at 10 P M worked  
down the works mid part moderate  
at Daylight made sail and stood to the E at 6  
A M commenced stowing down latter part the same  
Lat 38 30

154 Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a light air from SSE heading E at  
4 P M raised the island of Amsterdam  
right ahead distance 40 miles at sunset  
Doubt reefed the topsails and finished stowing  
down mid part calm latter part light air  
from N S W course SE at Daylight made sail  
So Ends

155 Friday Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a light air from W S W heading S  
the islands of Amsterdam and St Pauls in  
sight one watch employed in scraping bones  
the Barque Lagrange in sight bidding out  
mid part the same at 7 A M tacked ship  
and stood on for the island of St Pauls  
on sail in sight so Ends

156 Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Commences  
with a light air from W N W laying off  
the island, boats in shore fishing at sunset  
came on board loaded and took in sail  
Mid part the same at Daylight made sail and  
stood to the S E latter part the same so Ends  
Lat 49 10



Ship London of New Bedford

Ship Command of New Bedford

167 Sunday Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> 1839 Commences

with a strong breeze from W steering S E  
at sunset took in sail and kept her  
on her course and part the same at day  
light made sail steering S E So Ends

Saturday spoke Ship Lat 39.53  
at New Bedford with 1000 Spail

168



Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> 1839 Commences  
with a strong breeze from W steering  
E the barque Lagrange in sight at sunset  
double reefed the topsails and kept her  
course and part the same at sunrise  
made sail at 6 AM saw a wright barge  
to the westward latter part the same  
two sails in sight So Ends  
Lat 38.56

169



Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a fresh breeze from N W steering  
S E at 1 o'clock PM saw a whale  
lowered but did not strike it  
saw another barge to the westward  
at sunset took in the fore and main  
topsails and kept her her course  
and part the same at daylight made sail  
latter part the same So Ends  
Lat 39.54 Long 87.50

170

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a strong breeze from N W steering  
E N E at sunset double reefed the  
topsails and took in gaff and mainyard  
and part the same at daylight made  
sail at saw a sail steering E  
latter part the same So Ends



Master  
on a Whaling Voyage & Harding

171

Thursday Dec 26: Commences  
with a strong breeze from N steering S N E  
at sunset more moderate Double reefed  
and I kept her on her course and put  
the same at daylight made sail latter  
thick and rainy so Ends

172

Friday 27: Commences  
with a strong breeze from N W steering  
S E at 2 P M saw fin backs altered our  
course to S S E Double reefed the topsails  
at sunset took in fore and mizen tops  
sail and put thick and rainy at daylight  
made sail latter part calm so Ends

Lat 37-46 Long 94, 31

173

Saturday 28: Commences  
with a pleasant breeze from N W steering  
S S E fin backs in sight at sunset  
Double reefed the topsails and put the  
same at daylight made sail latter part cloudy

Lat 38-58 Long 96, 20

174

Sunday 29: Commences  
with a fine air from N W steering S S E  
at sunset double reefed the fore and mizen  
topsails and put same at 5 P M saw  
wright whales lowered but did not strike  
came on board got breakfast and powder  
again larboard boat struck and moved  
came on board and stood on the wire  
at 9 saw another lowered and the larboard  
boat struck so Ends the whale running  
in all directions Lat 39-44



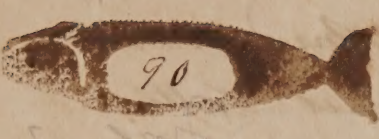
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175

Monday December 30: Commences  
with the wind from WSW and squally  
the harbour boat laying by the  
whale at 2 P.M. brought her  
along side and commenced  
cutting her in at sunset  
finished cutting her in and commenced  
boiling out mid part heavy gales at  
12 took in the fore and rigger topsails  
and were ship later part one watch  
employed in boiling so ends



176

Tuesday 31: Commences  
with heavy gales from W heading N.W.  
at sunset shore reefed the main topsail one  
watch employed in boiling out mid part  
at 10 P.M. coiled down and furlled the fore  
latter part the same so ends this day month  
and year Lat 38, 30

177

Wednesday January 1: 1840 Commences  
with a strong gale from WSW ship  
heading NW all hands below mid part  
the same at daylight called all hands and began  
boiling out at 9 A.M. set the fore and rigger  
topsails latter part moderate so ends

178

Thursday 2: 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from W ship heading  
SSW at 2 P.M. finished boiling and  
commenced stowing down at sunset took in  
the fore and rigger topsails and shore reefed  
the main top mid part the same at daylight  
all hands employed in stowing down and sheaving ship  
so ends 36



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179

Friday January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from W S W heading  
N W all hands employed in mending boats at  
2 P M boosed the fore and main topsails and  
mainsail Mid part the same at daylight  
made all sail So Ends

Satan stand up for you will be taken

180

Saturday January 4<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a calm at 4 P M at light air sprang  
up from N W steering S W at sunset set the  
watch 2 Boats men Mid part and latter part  
the same So Ends

Stand Mary

181

Sunday January 5<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com  
with a fresh breeze from N steering S W  
at 4 P M saw a merchantman bound to  
the Eastward at sunset took in sail  
and luffed too heading W S W Mid  
part wore ship heading E N E latter part  
raining at 10 A M spoke the Washington  
of Sag Harbor with 800 bbls of 6 months  
out So Ends

182

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Commences  
with a strong breeze from N N W at  
1 P M wore ship heading W close reefed  
the main topsail at sunset wore under reef  
let the reef out the main topsail and set  
the foresail Mid part strong gale at daylight  
close reefed the main topsail and furled the foresail  
latter part heavy showers of rain So Ends



Ship Condor of New Bedford on a  
 20 20 20 Ephraim Hervey

183 Tuesday January 7<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
 with heavy gales from W heading SSW at 4 PM  
 were ship heading SSW at sunset very  
 heavy gale with rain Mid part more moderate  
 latter the same So Ends

Lat 40-42 Long 98-12

184 Wednesday January 8<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
 with a strong gale from W ship heading NNE  
 at 4 PM saw a ship off weather bow but could  
 not tell what she was, at sunset more moderate  
 Mid part the same at sunrise made sail at  
 9 AM Double reefed the topsails and furled  
 the mainsail and kept her East So Ends

Lat 39-38 Long 99-48

185 Thursday January 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
 with a strong breeze from N at 4 PM took in  
 the fore and main topsails and luffed too at  
 sunset closed reefed the main topsail Mid part more  
 moderate at sunrise made all sail and stood to  
 the eastward latter part the same So Ends

Lat 38-39 Long 100-40

186 Friday January 10<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
 with a light air from SSE heading E  
 at sunset took in sail Mid part the same  
 at daylight made sail and stood to the eastward  
 latter part the same So Ends

Lat 38-58 South

187 Saturday January 11<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
 with a light air from NE by E ship heading  
 E by N at sunset Double reefed the topsails and  
 stood along Mid part the same at daylight  
 made all sail at 8 AM kept her off S by E  
 latter part the same So Ends Lat 39-00 Long 104-30



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Hattie Thatcher Will Bradford. Gus Wood Mary J. Brownell

188 Sunday January 12<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from N steering S E by S  
at sunset took in sail, course E S E, Mid part  
the same at daylight made sail latter part  
raining So Ends Lat 40-47 South

189 Monday January 13<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from W steering S E at  
6 P M saw a right whale going to the windward  
took in sail and luffed too Mid part wore ship  
heading S S W at daylight kept her N E latter  
part the same So Ends

~~by 11 1/2~~  
190 Tuesday January 14<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from W S W steering N E  
at sunset took in sail and luffed too heading  
N mid part the same at daylight set the  
topsails, double reefed latter part wind N W by N  
heading N E by N So Ends

191 Wednesday January 15<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from N W by N ship heading  
N E by N at sunset took in sail heading the same  
Mid part the same at daylight made sail latter part  
the same So Ends

Lat 37-52 Long 111-29 1/2

192 Thursday January 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from N N W heading N E  
at sunset double reefed the topsails at 10 heavy squalls  
of rain the wind hauled round to the W at sunrise  
made all sail latter part raining So Ends

Lat 36-06 Long 112-18

W. B. Brownell  
Hattie Thatcher  
Will Bradford  
Gus Wood  
Mary J. Brownell



Ship Condon of New Bedford on a

193 Friday 17 January 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S.W. steering N.E. at sunset  
took in sail mid part the same at daylight made  
all sail steaming N.E. saw a sail bound to the  
eastward latter part the same So Ends

Lat 33.59 Long 113.86

194 Saturday January 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S.E. steering N.E. at sunset  
took in sail and bore too heading E by N mid part  
the same at daylight set the fore and mizen top  
sails double reefed and stood to the eastward at 9  
it saw a ship bound to the S.W. latter the same

Lat 32.30

195 Sunday January 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S steering E at 3 P.M.  
took in mainsail and gib at 6 took in the fore and  
mizen topsails and bore the ship too at 9 some ship  
took in the foresail heading S.W. mid part the same  
latter part the same So Ends

Lat 32-13 Long 114-45

196 Monday January 20 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S.S.E. heading <sup>at 6</sup> all hands  
employed in masting a Cook Freight Return an Englishman  
and a Negro on the quarter deck after it was furnished  
wore ship E.S.E. mid part the same at 8 A.M.  
set the foresail and kept her N. latter the same

Lat 31.35 Long 114-22

197 Tuesday January 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from S steering N by W  
at sunset took in the foresail and hefted too heading  
N.W. by W mid part the same at daylight kept  
her off W.N.W. at set the fore and mizen  
topsails latter the same So Ends Lat 31.58

Ship stop  
give me  
my rope





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198 Wednesday 22 1840 Commences

with a strong breeze from S.W. steering N.W. by W at 2 P.M. let the reef out of the main topsail at sunset took in sail and kept her N. by E part the same at daylight made sail latter part the same So Ends

Lat 27-51

199 Thursday 23 January 1840 Commences

with a strong breeze from S.E. steering N.E. at sunset took in the fore and main topsails and blew reefed the main and here the ship too heading E. by N part the same at daylight set the fore and main topsail at N. by E made all sail So Ends

Lat 26-40 Long by Chron 192-33

200 Friday January 24<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences

with a strong breeze from S.E. heading at sunset took in sail and now ship heading W.S.W. by N part the same at daylight set the fore and main topsails double reefed at 10 moderate made all sail at 11 Saw the island of Newholland latter the same So Ends

Lat 26-33 Long 118-14

201 Saturday January 25<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences

with a fine breeze from S.E. steering along with the land to the N. at sunset took in sail and stood off shore at 6 Grounded with 50 fathoms water Mid part the same at sunrise set the fore and main topsails double reefed latter part the same

Lat 25-34 Long 118-03 East

202 Sunday January 26 1840 Commences

with a fine breeze from S.E. steering N.N.W. at sunset took in sail and luffed to S.W. heading Mid part the same at daylight made all sail latter the same all hands employed in drying their gunny  
So Ends Lat 24-45 South



Ship Condor of New Bedford on a  
203 Monday January 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light air from S steering N<sup>W</sup> at sunset  
took in sail and kept her on her course N<sup>W</sup> by S  
mid part the same at daylight made all sail course  
N by W latter the same So Ends

Lat 23.54

204 Tuesday January 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from S steering N by W<sup>2</sup>  
at 3 saw a Ship bound to the Westward,  
at sunset kept her off N under main top  
sail and foresail mid part the same at daylight  
made sail at 10 luffed up N<sup>E</sup> latter part the  
same one watch employed in fitting rigging so Ends

Lat 24.58

205 Wednesday January 29<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with fine weather wind S Ship's course N<sup>E</sup> at sunset  
took in sail and kept her under main topsail  
and foresail mid part the same at daylight made  
sail latter part the same So Ends

Lat 26.21 Long 118.17

206 Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light air from S<sup>th</sup> steering N<sup>E</sup>  
at sunset took in sail and run under main  
topsail and foresail mid part the same at daylight  
sail latter part the same one watch employed in fitting  
rigging so Ends Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>

207 Friday January 31<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from S steering N<sup>E</sup> at took in  
sail and run under maintopsail mid part saw two  
sails steering on the wind aluffed to heading S  
at daylight made all sail kept her off N<sup>E</sup> at  
10 luffed up N So Ends

Lat 28.55

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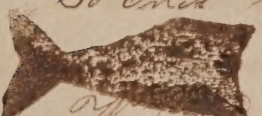


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- 209 ~~Saturday~~ Feb 12 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from WNW steering N<sup>o</sup> E  
at sunset took in sail and luffed too heading N<sup>o</sup> E  
Mid part wore ship heading S at daylight made  
sail and stood on the wind latter part the same  
Lat 17.22
- 210 Sunday February 22 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from SE steering E at sunset  
took in sail and luffed too heading SE E  
Mid part the same at daylight made sail latter  
the same steering on the wind So Ends  
Lat 17.04 Long 118.30
- 211 Monday February 3<sup>rd</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light breeze from S<sup>o</sup> W heading S<sup>o</sup> W at  
sunset tacked ship and took in sail heading S by E  
Mid part the same at daylight made sail and tacked  
heading N<sup>o</sup> W at 9 A M tacked heading S So Ends  
Lat 16.48
- 212 Tuesday February 4<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from W by S heading S by W  
at sunset set the watch. Starboard and Larboard  
Mid part the same one watch employed in mending  
the starboard boat latter part the same So Ends  
Lat 17.58
- 213 Wednesday February 5<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light breeze from W ship heading  
S S W Mid part the same latter part calm  
one watch employed in mending boat and <sup>Ship</sup> hoggan  
Lat 18.40
- 214 Thursday February 6<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a calm at sunset a breeze from N S W steering  
W S W Mid part the same latter part the same  
one watch mending boats so ends Lat 19.11



- Ship Condor of New Bedford on a  
215 Friday 7<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light breeze  
from W ship heading SSW mid part the same  
at 9 P.M. tacked ship heading WNW latter  
part the same Lat 19.58 Long 111.11  
216 Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light air from WSW ship heading  
NW mid part the same latter part ship  
heading W so ends Lat 19.13  
217 Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a light air from SSW ship heading NW  
at 1 P.M. tacked ship heading SSW at sunset tacked  
again mid part the same latter part fine breeze  
from SSW by W so ends Lat 19.54 Long by lunar 11.58  
218 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from S W ship heading  
WNW mid part the same latter part heading  
W by S so ends Lat 19.47 Long 111.05  
219 Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from S heading WSW mid part the same  
latter apart much the same at 6 past 11 saw  
2 Sperm whales heading to the windward lowered  
so ends lardered and Waist Boat pulling to the wind  
220 Lat 20.02  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from SSW the boats pulling to windward  
at 3 P.M. came on board without success and  
left the ship SE at 5 double reefed the  
topsails and furlled the main topgallant sail  
mid part the same at daylight moderate made all  
sail latter part the same so ends Lat 20.27  
221 Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from  
SSW ship heading SS at 5 P.M. took in the main topgallant  
and double reefed the topsails at 11 took in the gaff  
mid part the same at daylight made all sail and tacked ship  
heading W so ends Lat 21.02





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- 222 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> ~~January~~ 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from SSW ship heading W  
one watch employed in doing Nothing Mid part  
and latter the same So ends Lat 21.11 South Thomas
- 223 Saturday February 15<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences <sup>Bennett</sup>  
with a light breeze from S ship heading WSW Mid part  
the same latter part the same L 21.11 Long 115.37
- 224 Saturday February 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
fine breeze from SSW ship heading W at 6 P.M. tacked  
heading SE Mid part the same latter  
part cloudy with showers So ends Lat 21.47
- 225 Monday 17<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine  
breeze and steady ship heading ESE at 6 P.M. tacked  
ship heading S by W Mid part the same latter  
part strong breeze So ends Lat 22.32
- 226 Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from SSE ship heading S by W at 1 P.M.  
raised sperm Whales lowered and all  
4 Boats struck the starboard boat brought a long side  
hardboard boat sunk 1 the bow boat left 1 to the  
windward and the capt cut the 2d mates line, came  
on board and set the watch boats crews Mid part  
the same at 6 commenced cutting latter part much  
the same so ends Lat 22.08
- 227 W<sup>ed</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze  
from SSE ship heading S by W at 1 P.M. finished  
cutting and began clearing the head at 4 P.M. set the  
top sails Durable reefed at sunset commenced boiling  
out Mid part the same latter part 1 watch  
employed in trying out So ends Lat 22.30
- 228 Thursday 20 1840 Commences with a strong breeze  
from SSE ship heading S by W Mid part the same at 2 P.M.  
finished boiling latter part made all sail So ends  
Lat 22.50



Ship Concord of New Bedford on a  
289 Friday 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 commences with a light  
from SSW ship heading W mid part heading SSW latter  
part all hands employed in stowing down 50 ends  
Lat 23.27 N S

231 Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SSW ship heading SW at 4 AM finished  
stowing down mid part heading SSW latter part  
the same 50 ends Lat 24.30 Long 103

232 Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SSW ship heading SW at sunset squall  
of rain mid part and latter the same 50 ends  
Lat 25.51 Long 102.03

233 Monday 24<sup>th</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SE ship heading SSW mid part squally  
latter part heading SW 50 ends Lat 27.22

234 Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SE by E tacked ship heading E by S sent down  
the main top gallant sail and gave it 3 weeks mending  
and bent it again mid part the same latter part  
thick foggy ship heading ESE 50 ends

235 Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SE ship ESE foggy with rain mid part  
at sunset tacked ship heading SSW mid part the same  
latter part the same Lat 27.31 Long 102.06

236 Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 commences with a strong  
breeze from SE by S ship heading SW by S  
one watch employed in shocking bread cash for water  
mid part the same at 7 AM tacked ship  
heading E 50 ends Lat 27.25 Long by lunar 101.20

237 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 commences with a strong breeze  
from SSW ship heading E made all sail at sunset took in  
the main top gallant sail and furlled the topsails  
mid part heavy squalls of wind furlled the gaff at 5 AM tacked  
ship heading SSW latter part the same Lat 28.42



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238 Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S by E ship heading S W by E at sunset squally mid part rainy latter part moderate made all sail so ends Lat 29-30

239 Sunday March 1<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from S by E ship heading S W mid part <sup>awful</sup> mid at daylight tacked ship heading E S E latter part fine weather so ends Lat 30-20 Long 101-30

240 Monday March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Commences with fine weather ship heading E S E mid part calm with showers of rain latter part light breeze from South so ends Lat 30-45 Thos Bennett

241 Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from S ship heading S S E at sunset squally of rain mid part calm heading from S to N by E at 10 o'clock the wind hauled round to W by W course S by E so ends  
Lat 29-50 south Long 103-46 East

242 Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences a with fine breeze from W by W ship's course S by E mid part light air to the westward latter part the same so ends  
Lat 31-10 Long 106-40

243 Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from W by W course S by E at 4 P.M. kept the ship S by E mid part wind N by W latter part strong breeze from W by W course S by E so ends Lat 31-48 Long 108-07 East

244 Friday 6<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S W steering S by E one watch employed in making manropes mid part the same latter part ones moderate wind S by W Lat 32-22 Long 110-11 East

245 Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from S by E so ends



Ship Condor of New Bedford on a <sup>reg</sup> Whaling  
Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March 1840 Commences with a strong  
S.W. wind course E.S.E. at sunset squally course E by S  
to South fore part wind S latter part the same  
Lat 32-40 Long by Chron 115-23 Long by Obs 115-22

Monday 9 Commences with a strong breeze  
from S.W. course E.S.E. at 5 Double reefed the top  
sails at sunset sounded and found 27 fathoms water  
at 9 P.M. wore ship and stood off from the land on  
a wind heading W by S fore part the same at 4  
wore ship and stood in at daylight made the land  
and run down the coast latter part the same

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze  
S running down the coast at 2 P.M. stood to garden  
island and copied a number of Shoals of 4 fathoms  
water at 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> struck on a shoal twice and went  
over and stood in about 2 miles and came to at  
daylight a pilot came on board and we got  
under way and stood out to sea a latter part running  
in towards Swan river to land.

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Commences with the wind from  
S steaming in towards Fremantle at 5 P.M. came  
to anchor in company with 5 American whale ships  
latter part gaming

Thursday 12 Commences with fine weather one  
watch ashore and the rest gaming to land

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> Commences with fine weather  
and I leave the Condor and go on board the  
Ship Bet Wm Baker of Warren Capt Bourne  
as 2<sup>d</sup> Mate latter part employed in fixing things

Saturday 14 Commences with fine weather and



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Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with the wind from WSW and fine weather at 9 AM the Ship Friendship of Danhuven got under weigh and went to sea latter part much the same So Ends

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine weather at 8 AM the Hoqua of New Bedford got under weigh and went out to sea latter part the same So Ends

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with fine weather all hands on board doing nothing wind the same latter part calm So Ends

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with the wind from S by W got under weigh in company with the latter Newark of Poughkeepsie latter part all hands employed in clearing up decks So Ends

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with the wind from S by W heading W by S at 2 PM took in the maintopgallants at 4 strong breeze doubled reefed the top sails and furled the mainail and gib wind part the same at day light moderate made all sail and stood to the southward latter part the same So Ends

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from S ship heading WSW at sunset took in sail wind part the same at daylight made all sail latter part the same So Ends

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 Lat 32-38

Commences with a fine breeze from S by E heading S W by W at 4 AM ship heading S by E wind part much the same at daylight made all sail ship heading S E latter part the same So Ends Lat 32-59



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Sunday March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a fine breeze from S S W heading S E at  
sunset double reefed the topsail and furled the  
mainsail Mid part strong breeze at 3 P M run  
ship and stood off heading S W all hands imple  
in doing nothing latter part the same So Ends

Monday 23 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from S S E ship heading S W at 2 P M  
took in fore and main topsails and furled  
the foresail at sunset closed reefed the main  
topsail Mid part the same at sunrise set the  
foresail and let one reef out of the maintopsail  
latter part the same So Ends Lat 33-09

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from S S E heading S W at sunset took  
in the foresail and close reefed the maintopsail  
Mid part the same at sunrise set the fore  
and main topsails and mainsail latter part  
steering N E by N So Ends Lat 32-45 Long 111-30

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a strong breeze from S E heading E N E at 3 P M  
saw a school of blackfish lowered and struck 3 and  
brought them along side at sunset took in sail Mid part  
the same at sunrise set the fore and main topsails  
and gill and commenced hauling out the blackfish latter  
part the same So Ends Lat 32-06

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from E S E ship heading N E at sunset  
took in sail heading E by N Mid part the same  
at sunrise made all sail latter part steering  
N by E So Ends Lat 31-20 Long 112-21



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Friday March 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from S E steering N by E at 4 P.M. saw a school of Blackfish lowered and brought 3 along side and took in sail mid part the same at day light made all sail at 7 wore ship heading S E latter with heading S S E So Ends Lat 31-00

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from N N E heading E saw grampusses at sunset double reefed the topsails and furled the gill ship heading N E by E Mid part the same latter part Cloudy Wind W S W So Ends Lat 31

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from W S W heading S W saw a sperm whale head to the windward at sunset wore ship and took in sail heading N by E Mid part and latter calm Tempted by the Devil as the Wm Baker does not take whales on Sunday with Sperm Whales in sight all around So Ends



Lat 31-12 Long 112-34

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from S laying with the main yard aback at 4 P.M. braces forward to keep the whales from running into us at sunset Whales in every direction Mid part the same at daylight made sail and kept her off S E W at 10 saw finbacks and luffed too heading S W latter part the same So Ends Lat 30 35

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a light wind from S S E ship heading S W at sunset double reefed the topsails Mid part Cloudy at sunrise made all sail latter part the same at 12 M spoke the ship Dolphin of New Bedford So Ends Lat 30 34 South

Wednesday April 1<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from S S E at 2 P.M. saw a school of Black fish lowered but did not strand at sunset took in sail mid part the same at sunrise made all sail carried on



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
at 7 AM saw a school of sperm whales and the  
Sperm starboard boat brought 1 along side

Thursday April 2<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences  
20 fms with a light air from S W by S at

2 PM commenced setting at 5 finished  
cleared up decks and took in sail at sunset  
cloudy with rain, mid part stow at sunrise  
made sail and commenced hoisting at 11 saw branches  
off the keel and kept off for them So Ends

Friday 3<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a strong breeze from S heading  
6 AM W S W saw sperm whales lowered  
and the masts brought one along side  
double reefed the topsails and stowed of to the W  
one watch employed in trying mid part heading  
7 AM at daylight made commenced hoisting  
at 8 finished and commenced trying latter  
part strong breeze all hands employed in trying  
out So Ends Lat 30-48 Long 113-43

Saturday 4<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze & ship heading W S W at sunset  
finished trying mid part the same at sunrise  
commenced stowing down latter part the same  
So Ends Lat 31 W Longitude 114

Sunday 5<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from E S E at 3 PM finished  
stowing down at sunset down reefed maintopsail and  
piked the fore and main mid part the same at day  
light moderate ship heading S at 7 were ship heading  
S S W latter light air So Ends Lat 31-20 South

Monday 6<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air  
from W N W ship heading N mid part heavy squalls  
with thunder and lightning at sunrise strong breeze  
kept the ship off S W So Ends Lat 30-50



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Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S by W steering E at sunset took in the fore and main topsails and close reefed the main and luffed too heading W by S mid part moderate at daylight made all sail and watch employed in ships duty So Ends Lat 30 14

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from the S ships course S by E at sunset took in sail and luffed too to the Eastward mid part the same at daylight made sail and steered N by E latter part one watch employed in mending the gill So Ends Lat 29 35  
Long 112 50 East

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S by E steering S by E at sunset took in sail and luffed too heading S by W mid part mid part wore ship S by E at daylight made sail and kept her N latter part the same Lat 28 40 South

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S by E steering S by E at 3 P M saw the Brothers Rocks kept the ship off N by W at sunset took in sail and kept her on her course mid part luffed too heading S by W at kept her off N latter part running under close reefed main topsail and foresail So Ends Lat 27 39 South

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong wind from S by E steering N at sunset took in the foresail and luffed too heading S by W mid part more moderate at daylight made all sail latter part steering W by W So Ends Lat 26 55

Sunday 12 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from S by W steering N by W at 3 P M saw a school of blackfish lowered and without success came on board at sunset took in sail and luffed



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
two heading W<sup>6</sup> mid part the same at Sunrise  
were ship heading E by S latter part Squally So Ends  
Lat 26-26

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from S heading E by S. at sunset were ship  
heading W<sup>6</sup> W<sup>6</sup> mid part the same at sunrise left  
the ship off N<sup>6</sup> S<sup>6</sup> W<sup>6</sup> one watch employed in re-  
pairing the cutting gear at 11 A M shook the reefs  
out of the main top sail and set the fore So Ends  
~~this per books~~ Lat 26-08 A O the

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from S S E steering N<sup>6</sup> at sunset took in the  
fore top sail and close reefed the main and  
kept her on her course mid part the same  
at sunrise set the fore, and main top sails  
latter part employed in ship's duty So Ends

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from S steering N<sup>6</sup> S<sup>6</sup> W<sup>6</sup> at sunset  
took in the fore and main top sails. mid part  
the same at daylight made sail latter part murder  
So Ends Lat 22-30 A O the

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine  
breeze from S S E steering N<sup>6</sup> S<sup>6</sup> W<sup>6</sup> at sunset left her  
off N at sunset took in sail and kept her on  
her course mid part calm at sunrise a breeze  
sprang up from the North made sail and stood  
to the Eastward latter part light air So Ends

Lat 24-33

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light  
air from N S W heading N<sup>6</sup> E at sunset took in sail  
mid part calm at sunrise made sail a light air  
from N latter part the same So Ends

Lat 28-40



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Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from N heading ENE saw a sail off the lee beam at sunset calm took in sail mid part the wind hauled round the to S at sunrise made sail and stood to the eastward at 7 AM spoke the Calladine of New London Prentice master latter part gaming So Ends Lat 21-23

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from S steering NE at sunset game took in the topgallantails and gaff and kept the ship running ENE mid part the same at sunrise the wind hauled round SE by S shifted too heading E by N So Ends

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from SE heading ENE at 6 PM saw a school of blackfish at sunset took in the fore and mizzen topsail mid part fresh breeze from SE at daylight heavy squall after it was over made sail latter part moderate So Ends Lat 19-51 South

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a light air from ESE heading NE at sunset took in the mainsail and double reefed the topsails mid part steering NE at sunrise made all sail at 8 saw a ship off to the leeward run off latter part the same So Ends

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Commences with a fresh breeze from SSE at 1 PM spoke the hogra of New London cutting 2 large whales at sunset spoke the Montpelier of New Bedford Capt Cary with 600 bbls whale oil went on board and got my letter mid part the same at daylight made sail and stood to the south latter part 2 sails in sight So Ends Lat 19-06



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Thursday 23 April 1840 Commences with a  
fine breeze from SE at 1 PM wore ship heading  
N by E at 4 PM shifted too heading E N E two  
sails off the weather bow gunning at sunset  
double reefed the topsails and furled the main  
sail mid part the same at daylight made all  
sail latter part much the same Lat 18° 25' South

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong  
breeze from SE steering N E at 4 PM heavy squalls  
of wind with rain double reefed the topsails and  
furled mainsail and gill at sunset took in the  
fore and inner topsails and foresail mid part  
much the same latter part made all sail So Ends  
Lat 18° 48' Emma

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from SE heading E N E at sunset  
took in mainsail and double reefed the topsails  
square the Palladium and gunned mid part  
the same at daylight made all sail latter part  
moderate the palladium off the lee quarter

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine  
breeze from SE heading E N E at sunset double  
reefed the topsails and furled the mainsail mid  
part heavy squalls of rain and wind latter part  
much the same So Ends

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from ESE and squally wore ship head-  
ing S at sunset double reefed the topsails and furled  
the mainsail mid part the same at daylight made  
all sail tacked ship heading N by E latter part  
one watch employed in mending sails So Ends

Lat 15° 57'



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Tuesday April 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from SSE heading SE at 4 PM wore ship heading S at sunset double reefed the topsails and furled the mainsail Mid part the same at daylight made sail and stood to the southward latter part squally So Ends Lat 16-38

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from E heading S at 4 saw the ship Draper Howland of New Bedford and gammed with her at sunset took in sail close reefed the mainsail at 8 very sharp lightning of the west bow Mid part rainy latter thick foggy with rain one watch employed in saving water So Ends

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from SSE at 3 PM wore ship heading SSE at 4 PM heavy galls of wind and rain Mid part heavy gales took in the main topsail and set the mizen staysail at sunrise sent down the fore and main topgallant yards latter part lying too under the mizen and mizen staysail So Ends

Friday May 1<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a Heavy gale from SSE heading E at sunset more moderate Mid part moderate at sunrise set the topsails and mainsail one watch employed in minding the spanker latter part fine weather So Ends

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from SSE heading E at sunset double reefed and furled the mainsail Mid part the same at sunrise made all sail latter part much the same one watch employed in ship's duty So Ends

Lat 16-02 South



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Sunday 3 May 1840 Commences with  
a fine breeze from S heading ESE at sunset  
saw a school of Sperm whales however and without  
success came on board doubled reefed the topsail  
and furlled the mainsail and got mid part and  
latter much the same So Ends

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
light air from S heading ESE at sunset a  
fine breeze from SSW heading SE mid part  
the same at daylight made all sail one watch  
employed in mending the fore topsail latter part  
light air from SE So Ends Lat 18-52

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
light air from SE heading ESE at 3 P.M.  
tacked ship heading SSW at sunset took in  
the mainsail and maintopgallantsail mid part  
calm at 3 P.M. tacked ship heading ESE  
at daylight made all sail at 9 A.M. tacked  
heading SW one watch employed in mending  
the mainsail So Ends Lat 15-47

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a light air from SE heading SW at 3 P.M. bent  
the fore top gallant sail and sent the yard  
aloft at sunset took in the topgallant sails  
and main sail mid part much the same  
at sunrise made all sail latter part tacked  
ship heading E by S. So Ends

Lat 16-11 Long 115-15

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
fine breeze from E by E heading E by S at 2 tacked  
heading S by W at 4 P.M. tacked heading E by S  
mid part the same at daylight made sail latter  
part much the same So Ends

Lat 16-18 Long by Obs 116-30



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Friday May 8<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from S heading ESE at sunset Ship heading SE by S took in the topgallant Sails mid part calm at sunrise made all sail latter slight air from all parts of the compass so Ends

Lat 16-42 Long 117-46

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a calm at sunset took in the topgallant sails and lowered down a boat to try the current and found it setting SW mid part calm at 4 P M a breeze from SE latter part the sun

Lat 16-47 Long by Obs 118-45

Sunday 10 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from SE heading SSE W at 4 P M saw a school of sperm whales 10 minutes before sunset the waist boat struck and the starboard boat struck in another and at 11 brought 2 along side and set the watch at Daylight commenced cutting latter part the same so Ends

Lat 16-49

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from SE at 5 P M finished cutting and started the works at Daylight set the mizen topsail one watch employed in trying out, Ship heading SSW so Ends Lat 16-57

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze from SE heading SSW one watch employed in trying at sunset were SE heading SE by S mid part fine at 3 P M finished boiling at Daylight made all sail at 10 tacked ship heading SE by S so Ends Lat 16-50



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Wednesday May 13<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a fine breeze from SE heading SE by W at  
4 P.M. tacked heading N.E. by E at sunset took  
in the topgallantsails Mid part the same at  
daylight commenced stowing down latter part fresh  
breeze So Ends Lat 16 51

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
fine breeze from ESE tacked ship heading  
S at 5 P.M. finished stowing down at  
sunset took in the mainsail and runtop  
gallantsail Mid part the same at daylight made  
all sail latter part fresh breeze So Ends

Lat 18 13 Longitude 112 11

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a fresh breeze from ESE heading S at sunset  
took in sail Mid part the same at sunrise  
made sail and tacked ship Steering SE by S latter  
part made the same on iron side with  
the survey and 2 more with a small touch

So Ends Lat 18 44 Long 117-01

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from ESE steering N.E. by E  
at sunset double reefed the topsails and furled the  
mainsail Mid part the same at daylight made  
sail at 9 double reefed the topsails latter part  
squally So Ends Lat 17-35

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a  
strong breeze from SSE heading S.E. at 2 P.M.  
let the reefs out of the topsails at sunset took  
the mainsail and got and double reefed Mid part  
the same at daylight set the mainsail and got  
latter part the same So Ends

Lat 15 34 Long 117 39

May 18<sup>th</sup> Grounded at the bottom of the bay and idling



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Whaling Voyage Albert Bowen Mas

Monday May 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from ESE heading NE at sunset took in mainsail and gill. Mid. part at daylight made sail latter part the same So Ends Lat 19° 33 South

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from ESE heading NE at 3. moderate set the maintopgallant sail at sunset took in Sail Mid. part the same at sunrise made all sail latter part one watch employed in wipering Broad So Ends Lat 16° 33 Long 177° 50

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from ESE steering N by E at sunset took in gill and mainsail and double reefed Mid. part the same at sunrise made sail at 7 spoke the Surprise Smith of London 23 month out with 2100 Spurn latter gunnys heading S So Ends Lat 14° 15

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from ESE heading S at sunset Double reefed the topsails at 7 the captain came on board wore ship steering N by E at daylight set the gill and mainsail latter part the same So Ends Lat 13° 44

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Commences with a strong breeze from E steering N by E at sunset took in mainsail and gill Mid. part squally at sunrise set the mainsail and gill at 9 heavy squalls drove reefed the fore and main and furled the mizen topsails gill mainsail latter part the same

Lat 11° 55

Bound to Thompson

Shane



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Saturday May 23<sup>d</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from ESE steering  
N<sup>W</sup> & let the tops out and set the  
mainsail at sunset set the weather bar  
and standard mid part the same latter part  
steering N<sup>W</sup> So Ends Lat 10-00

Sunday 24 1840 Commences with  
a strong breeze from ESE steering N<sup>W</sup>  
at 3 kept her off N<sup>W</sup> at 4 saw the  
Island of Santa Ana 2 points of the weather  
low wind part heavy squalls at daylight made  
the island of Santa Ana latter part heading  
up the straits So Ends

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a calm heading up the straits at  
3 P.M. saw a brig heading into town  
Mid and latter part calm drifting up and down  
the straits So Ends

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a light  
air heading along the land at sunset looks  
quite fair for getting in Mid and latter part  
calm drifting about with the current

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with the wind from SE heading in  
at 3 P.M. the wind hauled round ESE  
right ahead Mid part a fine breeze from  
SE at sunset saw the port right ahead  
at 7 hoisted down the boats and towed the  
ship in at 12 let go the anchor So Ends

Thursday 29 1840 Commences light breeze  
broke out and fitted the cask for rafting latter part  
one watch employed in getting water and  
the other on shore on liberty So Ends



# Whaling Voyage of Albert Bowen Mas

Friday May 30 1840 Commences with fine weather one watch employed in getting water and the other on liberty So Ends

Saturday Sunday Monday Tuesday all these four days employed in ships duty and liberty

Wednesday June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1840 Commences with fine weather employed in getting recruits on board at 11 P.M. got under weigh and went down the bay to get wood at 9 come too and sent the boats ashore after wood So Ends

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with fine weather all hands employed in getting wood So Ends Friday 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>

Commences with fine weather all hands doing nothing latter part the same Mas Henry

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with a fine breeze at sunrise brought a canoe load of pumpkins at 10 got under weigh and stood out to sea So Ends

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with fine weather heading down the strait at sunset lashed the ensore and cleared the decks and put the same latter part fine weather So Ends

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Commences with a fine breeze from S.E. heading S.E. one watch employed in ships duty at sunset double reefed the topsails mid part the same latter part heading S by E saw finbacks So Ends Lat 10-6'5" south

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Commences with a fine breeze from E by S heading S by E at sunset double reefed and fubled the gill and mainsail mid part strong breeze at daylight set the mainsail and gill So Ends



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences  
with a strong breeze from ESE heading S  
at 1 P.M. let the reef out of the fore and  
main topsails at sunset double reefed and  
furled the mainsail and gib mid part mordenage  
at daylight made all sail latter part the  
same so ends Lat 12 50

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Commences with  
a fine breeze from ESE heading S  
at 1 saw a school of blackfish lowered  
but without success came on board at sun-  
set took in sail mid part Ship heading  
SSW at sunrise tacked heading ESE  
latter part fine so ends Lat 13-15

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from ESE heading S at 2 P.M. tacked  
heading S at sunset took the topgallant  
sails ship heading SSW mid part  
the same at sunrise set the main  
topgallant sail latter part as usual as  
sunday so ends Lat 14 26

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> Corn with a  
fine breeze from SE heading SSW  
at sunset took the mainsail and  
double reefed mid part strong breeze  
latter part one watch employed in mending  
boats so ends

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Commences with a  
strong breeze from ESE heading S mid part  
the same latter part set the gib and main  
sail one watch employed in mending boat  
so ends Lat 16 03 Long 112 51



Whaling Voyage Albert Bowen Master

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 1840 Corn  
with a strong breeze from E by S heading  
S by E at sunset took in the mainsail and  
gib Mid part the same at sunrise set  
the mainsail and gib latter part the same  
at 12 finished mending boats so Ends  
Lat 17-00

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with a  
strong breeze from E by S heading S by  
E at sunset took in mainsail and gib  
Mid part the same at sunrise set the main  
sail and gib at 9 let the reefs out of the  
main topsail and fore latter part the same  
Lat 18-05

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> 1840 Commences with  
a strong breeze from E S E heading S at  
sunset Double reefed Mid part the same  
at sunrise let the reefs out of the main  
topsail latter part all hands sick of the  
rugged weather and no whales so Ends  
Lat 19-35

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with a strong  
breeze from E S E heading S at sunset  
furled the mainsail and gib and Double  
reefed Mid part the same at Daylight set the  
mainsail and gib and let the reefs out ship heading  
S S W at 7 tacked heading E S E latter part heading  
S E by S so Ends Lat 20-25 south

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Corn with a strong  
breeze from S E by E heading S E by S  
at 2 Double reefed at sunset took in gib  
and on ginsail Mid part the same at sunrise  
set the mainsail and gib latter part the  
same so Ends Lat 19-37.



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Monday June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Com  
with a strong breeze from ESE heading  
N<sup>o</sup> E Mid part the same latter part squally  
So Ends the Cooper sick with the dysentery  
Lat 18-15

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Com with a strong  
breeze from ESE heading S at sunset took  
in gaff and mainsail Mid part the same  
latter part one watch employed in setting  
up rigging So Ends Lat 19-30

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine  
breeze from ESE heading S at 2 let the  
reefs out and set the maintopgallant sail  
at sunset took the maintopgallant  
and double reefed Mid part the same  
at sunrise made all sail one watch employed  
in repairing a rotten pump So Ends

Lat 19-45 South

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from ESE heading N<sup>o</sup> E at 2 P.M. tacked heading  
S at sunset took in maintopgallant sail  
Mid part the same at sunrise tacked heading  
N<sup>o</sup> E at 10 tacked again heading S by E So E

Lat 20-15

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine  
breeze from SE heading SSW at sunset  
took in maintopgallant sail and reefed the  
fore and main topsails Mid part the  
same at daylight made all sail latter part  
much the same So Ends Lat 21-42

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from ESE heading S E mid part the same  
at daylight heading S by E the Cooper very sick  
at 12 tacked heading N<sup>o</sup> E So Ends



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Sunday June 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with a light air from ESE at 2 P.M. the Cooper breathed his last, at sunset hauled aback the fore yard and ~~committed~~ the body to the deep, Mid part the same at sunrise set the main top gallant sail latter part heading E by N so End Lat 22-07

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from SE heading ESE at 2 P.M. saw a sail on the weather bow at 5 spoke the barque Harvest Fishery of Fairhaven with 800 lbs oil jammed at 7 were ship heading SSW W Mid part the same at daylight made all sail steering SW in company with the Harvest at 10 run down and the Capt came on board So Ends jamming Lat 22-09

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from N steering SW at sunset the mate came on board Mid part steering S by E at Daylight set the top gallant sail latter part saw pinbacks the HC on the starboard beam So Ends

Wednesday July 1<sup>st</sup> 1840 Com with a fine breeze from E W S W heading S W by E at 2 P.M. heavy squalls of wind and rain close reefed the main top sail and kept her before the wind, at sunset calm buffed too Mid part heavy squalls of rain latter part strong breeze double reefed and stood SSW W So Ends

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> 1840 Com with a strong breeze from SE heading S S W at sunset spoke the Japan of Nantucket Capt Tobey Mid part were Ship heading ESE at sunrise made all sail lat part the same So Ends Lat 21-40



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Friday July 3<sup>d</sup> 1840 Com with  
fine breeze from S E by S heading S W by S  
latter part saw a sail on the weather beam  
So Ends

Saturday 4 Com with a fine breeze  
from S E heading S W at 2 saw a school  
of sperm whales lowered and without success  
came on board at sunset took the topgallantsails  
mid part spoke the Barque Hope New Bedford  
with 600 Sperm & 400 Whale Oil at sunrise tacked  
heading E N E latter part the same so Ends

Lat 21-47 Long 141-47

Sunday 5 Com with a fine breeze  
from E S E heading S E at 2 P M tacked heading  
S at sunset took the topgallantsails mid  
part the same latter part strong breeze so Ends  
Lat 22 35

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from E steering S W by W at sunset took in  
sail and kept her on her course mid part  
the same at daylight made all sail latter  
part cloudy So Ends

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from E steering W at sunset took in sail  
mid part the same at daylight doubled reefed and  
set the mainsail at 3 took in mainsail and gib  
latter part the same So Ends

Lat 23-27

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from N N W heading N E at sunset also the fore  
topsail mid part strong breeze took in the fore  
and mizen topsails latter thick and rainy  
So Ends



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Thursday July 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with a strong breeze from W<sup>3</sup>W heading S<sup>W</sup> at 4 P M moderate squalls the America ~~Boat~~ hauled gamed, mid part double reefed the topsails and set the foresail mid part staving S at sunrise made all sail at 3 spoke the Amineer and gamed latter part light air and rainy so ends

Friday 10 Com with a light air from S<sup>SE</sup> steering S<sup>SE</sup> in company with the A at sunset double reefed mid and latter part rainy set the fore and main topsails so ends

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air and rainy heading E<sup>SE</sup> at sunset took in the main topsails, mid part rainy at sunrise set the topsails latter part the same so ends

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from E with rain heading S<sup>SE</sup> at sunset took in sail mid and latter the same winds

Lat 21 48

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from S heading E<sup>SE</sup> rainy at sunset double reefed mid part the same at daylight strong breeze from S heading latter the same so ends Lat 21 37

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze from S heading E<sup>SE</sup> let the reefs out and set the main top gallant sail at 2 P M saw the South West Cape of New Holland at sunset double reefed and furled the mainsail and gib the land about 10 miles off right ahead standing in bound into Exmouth gulf to try for humpbacks mid part heading off shore at Daylight stood saw a great many humpbacks but the current was so strong we were not into the bay so ends Lat 21 38



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Wednesday July 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with  
a fine breeze from S at 1 lowered for  
humpbacks and with success some on board  
and kept the ship off N E at sunset  
Doubt refd at 10 were ship heading S W  
at 3 were again heading E at daylight the  
wind hauled round to the eastward ship heading  
S by W latter part the same So Ends

Lat 20-59

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong  
breeze from E N E had S E at sunset were  
ship heading S at daylight set the mainsail  
and gib latter part the same

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from S E at sunset heading S W by E  
were ship heading E by S mid part ruining the  
wind S steering S latter part calm so ends

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air  
at sunset took in sail mid part the same  
at daylight a light air from S E heading E  
latter part the same So Ends

Sunday 19 Com with a light air  
from S E heading E at 2 saw a school  
of blackfish lowered and without success came  
on board were ship heading S by E at sunset  
took in sail mid part the same at 4  
were ship the wind S E steering S by E  
latter part fine breeze So Ends

Lat 19-55

Monday 20 Com with a fine breeze  
from S E steering S by N at sunset Doubt  
refd mid part were ship at 4 were again at  
daylight made all sail heading S E latter part the same  
So Ends Lat 18-59



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 Sunday 2<sup>d</sup> August 1840. Corn with  
 the wind from E heading S S W at 3 P.M.  
 8<sup>o</sup> saw a shoal of sperm whalls  
 lowered amid the starboard  
 boat got 1 small whale and  
 the waist boat got one large  
 one came on board and  
 set the watch mid part  
 at 2 P.M. the fluke shewn  
 parted and we lost the small one at daylight  
 commenced cutting latter part the devil or some  
 good fellow working against us so ends

Monday 3<sup>d</sup> Corn with the wind  
 E heading S S E at 2 P.M. were around  
 and tried it to the leeward at sunset  
 got the bag in and secured the haul  
 set the watch boats crews mid part  
 at 11 the hawse parted and the head sunk  
 at daylight commenced towing latter part  
 the same

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
 from E S heading S E all hands employed  
 in trying at sunset could reef mid part  
 the same latter part one watch employed  
 in trying out so ends Lat 13-04 Long 118-40

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
 from S E by S heading E by S at 4 finished  
 trying at sunset set the watch boats crews  
 mid part the same at sunrise made all  
 sail at 8 went ship to the S S W latter  
 part fine weather so ends. S S W Cathe

Ship Wm Baker of Warren



Ship Wm Baker Von Harren

Thursday August 6<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com  
with the wind from SE heading SSE 7/8  
at sunset double reefed Mid part  
wore ship to the ENE at sunrise commenced  
stowing down latter part the same

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from SSE heading NE at 4 finished stowing  
down Mid part wore ship to the S at day  
light made all sail latter part the same  
so Ends Lat 12-52

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from SSE heading S saw thousands of Alberscores  
at sunset double reefed Mid part the same at  
daylight made all sail at 8 kept the ship  
off 11 latter part the same

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from  
E heading SSE at sunset double reefed Mid part  
wore to the NNE latter part the same so Ends

Lat 13-05

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from E heading SSE at 2 saw a school of Blackfish  
at 6 PM saw a school of sperm whales Mid part  
wore ship to the SSE at 3 wore to the  
SSE at daylight made all sail latter part  
the same

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> Com with the  
wind from E heading SSE at 2 PM wore  
to the SSE at sunset double reefed Mid  
part wore to the ENE at daylight made all  
sail and kept off N 1/2 E latter part one  
watch employed in fitting rigging so ends  
Lat 12-56 Long 117-25

There been no school today



Voyage Whaling Start Bowen <sup>ter</sup> Mas

Wednesday August 12<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with  
the wind from ESE at 1 PM luffed too on a  
wind heading SE at sunset double reefed. Mid  
part the same latter part steering SE by W  
so ends Lat 14-55 Gattie McWilson, June 11<sup>th</sup> 1870

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
from ESE steering SE by E at sunset double  
reefed and kept her on her course. Mid part  
the same at daylight made all sail latter  
part the same so ends Lat 10-00

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
ES steering SE by E at 7 set the watch sea  
watches the island of Lombok bearing SE distant  
40 miles Mid part saw the island of  
Sumbawa at Daylight off the stern  
of Atlas latter part calm so ends

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> Corn with strong  
wind from SE running down the coast  
Mid part the same at 8 Corn too  
anchor latter part the watch on shore  
on liberty so ends A.A. Wood

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> Corn with  
fine weather all hands employed  
in getting off vessels mid part gunnery  
at daylight got under weigh and  
steamed out to sea latter part much  
the same so ends Augustus A. Wood

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> Corn with  
a strong breeze from SSE heading  
SW at sunset spoke the Barque  
Munthoon of Pafflower Capt Bell  
with 7600 spence and 500 whale  
gunny. took in sail heading  
SW Mid part the same



At daylight saw a sperm the gunthion  
lowered and struck and the line parted  
latter part taking all the time  
so ends the island of Banditti in sight

S Monday 30<sup>th</sup> Corn with  
the wind to the E heading S S E  
at sunset double reefed and gamed with  
with the gunthion at 9 wore ship  
to the S S E mid part the same at  
Daylight made all sail latter part  
saw finbacks so ends the gunthion under

Tuesday September 1<sup>st</sup> Corn with  
a light breeze from S E by S heading  
S W by S at sunset gamed with the  
gunthion to in the topgallantsails  
gib and mainsail mid part the same  
at daylight made all sail. latter part  
the wind E S E steering S so ends Lat 10 18

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Corn with the  
wind from E steering S at sunset double  
reefed and huffed too on a wind mid part  
the same at daylight made all sail latter  
part the same so ends the gunthion in sight

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with the wind  
from E heading S S E with heavy showers  
of rain at 5 the wind hurred to  
S W by S heading S E by S at sunset double  
reefed mid part the same at daylight  
fine weather the wind E S E made all sail  
latter part one watch employed in fitting  
rigging so ends this 24 hours

Friday 4 Corn with the wind from  
S E heading S S W at sunset double reefed. mid  
part strong breeze at daylight set the gib  
and mainsail so ends



Saturday September 6<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SE at sun the barque pantheon took in the jib and mainsail at sunset spoke her huff too heading SSW Mid part the same at Daylight made all sail of latter part single reefed so ends  
Lat 13<sup>48</sup> south

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SE heading SSW at 4 gained with the pantheon at sunset furled the main sail Mid part moderate at Daylight made all sail at 8 tacked to the ESE latter part the same so ends Lat 14<sup>16</sup>

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SE heading ESE at Daylight saw two sail latter part the same day

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SE heading ESE at 2 PM spoke the Draper of New Bedford at 4 spoke the barque Roscoe Clark of do with 2 sperm whales at sunset Dorth reefed Mid part heading SSW latter part made all sail  
Lat 14<sup>22</sup> south

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SE heading SSW at sunset the 2 ships in sight Mid part the same at sunrise saw a shoal of sperm Whales lowered and the starboard boat brought on along side at 11 Corn maned hitting latter part the same so ends

Thursday 10 Corn with the wind from SE heading ESE at sunset finished cutting set the water Mid part the same at Daylight saw the 2 ships to the leeward cutting latter part the same Lat 15<sup>50</sup>



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a

Friday September 11<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with  
the wind from S heading W.S.W at 2 P.M. wore  
to the E.S.E at sunset Douth reefed one watch  
employed in trying out Mid part the same  
at 8 finished trying out latter part the same

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
from S.E by S heading S.E by S at 2 P.M.  
set the mainsail at sunset wore to the  
S.W. by S furled the mainsail mid part the  
same at sunrise set the gib and mainsail  
latter part the same so ends Lat 16<sup>th</sup> 07

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
from S.E heading S.S.W took in gib and  
mainsail and commenced stowing down  
at sunset moderate Mid part the same  
at 2 wore to the E by S at daylight made  
all sail at 8 finished stowing down

Lat 16<sup>th</sup> 32 S Long 108<sup>th</sup> 40 E

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
from S.E by S heading E by S at 4 P.M. wore  
to the S.W. by S Mid part the same at  
4 wore ship to the S.E by E latter part one  
watch employed in repairing boats so ends

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> Corn with the  
wind from S heading E.S.E Douth reefed  
the fore and mizen topsails at sunset  
hewing 8 Mid part the same at 5 wore  
to the S.S.W latter part squally so ends

Lat 16<sup>th</sup> 52

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> Corn with heavy squalls  
from S.E heading S.S.W Mid part the same  
at daylight made the same latter part  
moderate made all sail so ends

Lat 17<sup>th</sup> 45



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Thursday September 17<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com  
with the wind from S E heading S S W at sunset  
Doubt reefed mid part the same at Daylight  
made all sail latter part the same so ends

Lat 18-46 = two men sick

Friday 18 Com with a fine breeze from  
S E heading S S W one rivet employed in  
repairing boats mid part wore ship to the  
E at 4 wore again to the S S W at Daylight made  
all sail latter part strong breeze so ends

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong  
breeze from S E heading S S W at sunset all hands  
employed in witnessing generation between two py  
pigs took in the main top gallant sail mid part  
the same at Daylight moderate latter  
part the same so ends Lat 21-48 Long 106-35

Sunday 20 Com with a fine breeze  
from S S E heading S W at sunset heading S S W  
mid part wore to the N E E latter part the  
same so ends Lat 21-20

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> Com with the wind  
from S S E heading E at sunset spoke the ship  
North America of Warren Capt Mosher  
with 500 lbs wore ship to the S S W mid  
part the same at Daylight made all sail  
latter part running down to the N E so ends

Lat 21-40 Long by Chron 106-34 by lunar 106-33

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Com with the wind  
from S E heading S S W at sunset heading  
S W took in the main top gallant sail mid part  
the same at Daylight made all sail at  
9 Double reefed latter part the same so ends

Lat 22-44



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Thursday 23 September 1840 & with  
a strong breeze from at 2 PM spoke the  
S & and gained mid part the same at day  
light made all sail at 9 wore to the  
E & S latter part the same so ends

Thursday 24 " Com with a fine breeze  
from SE heading SE by E at 2 PM wore to  
the SSW at sunset spoke the S & S mid part  
the same at daylight heading S latter part  
the same 38° 30' Lat 24-51 with

Friday 25 Com with a fine breeze  
from ESE heading S at sunset the S & S in  
sight under our lee mid part the same  
at daylight heading SE latter part the  
same so ends Lat 26-09

Saturday 26 " Com with a fine  
breeze from S & S heading E at sunset spoke  
the S & S mid part the wind hauled round to  
S steering E at 11 spoke the S & S and gained double  
wulf so ends Lat 26-09

Sunday 27 " Com with a strong  
breeze from W & W steering E furled the main  
topsail at sunset heaved too heading S & W  
at 3 left her off E mid and latter part the  
same so ends Lat 26-04 Long 109-09

Monday 28 Com with a fine  
breeze from S & W by S steering E at sunset  
took in sail and heaved too heading SE by S  
mid part heading E at daylight made all sail  
at 10 saw a school of sperm whales lowered sails  
the look of chasing

Wm Baker  
of Warren  
Mass



Whaling Voyage. Albert Brewer Mas  
 Tuesday September 29. 1840 Corn with  
 the wind from SSE heading E the boat off  
 chasing whales, at sunset came on board without  
 success took in sail mid part the same at  
 same a school of sperm whales hovered at 4  
 came on board without success were ship  
 to the S<sup>W</sup> later part the same so ends



Lat 24-43 Long 109-50

Wednesday 30. Corn with a fine breeze  
 from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> at 1 PM saw a school  
 of sperm whales were ship and hovered the  
 whale going quick to the windward at 3 came  
 on board as usual without success at sunset saw another  
 school off the weather bow heading SSE the ship  
 heading S<sup>W</sup> mid part the same at 3 rushed  
 to the S<sup>W</sup> at 8 PM were to the E. later  
 part the same so ends Lat 24-48 Long 110-12



Thursday October 1. 1840 Corn with  
 the wind from SSW heading SE at 5 PM  
 saw a sperm whale hovered and pulled  
 to the windward about 7 miles and at  
 sunset the whale came up off the star  
 quarter at 1 mile off going to S<sup>W</sup> quick came  
 on board mid part the same at daylight  
 saw a school of sperm whales hovered and the  
 starboard boat struck and brought along  
 side the larboard boat struck and drew  
 the waiste got stove at 9 came on board and  
 commenced cutting so ends Lat 26-09

Friday 2. 1840 Corn with a fine breeze  
 from SSW heading SE at 6 PM finished cutting at  
 sunset double reefed the topsails and set the waiste  
 at 10 commenced looking at 3 were to the S<sup>W</sup>  
 later part one whale employed in trying out so ends



Ship Wm Baker of Warron on a  
Saturday Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1840 Com with a strong  
breeze from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> one watch employed  
in heaving at 1 let the reef out the topsails at  
sunset double reefed mid part squally at daylight  
reefed down latter part employed in clearing  
up decks so ends Lat 26-55 with Long 109-38

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine  
breeze from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> made all sail  
one watch employed in heaving out at  
3 P M commenced in stowing down at sunset  
double reefed set the water boats crews mid part  
the same at sunrise a light air from S wore  
ship to the SSE made all sail latter part calm

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Com with a calm at 4  
P M a light air from S heading S<sup>W</sup> mid part  
the wind hauled to the N<sup>W</sup> steering SE at daylight  
the wind S heading SSE latter part the same  
employed in stowing down so ends

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from S heading SSE at 2 P M tacked to the  
S<sup>W</sup> at 4 finished stowing down at sunset  
heading S by W mid part the same latter part  
heading S<sup>W</sup> so ends

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> at 4 P M tacked to the  
S by E mid part heading SE by E latter part  
heading S by E so ends Lat 26-21

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from S by W heading at sunset squally Drizzle  
reefed mid part ~~took~~ in the fore and mizen  
topsails at daylight set the fore topsail close  
reefed latter part strong breeze set the gill and  
mainsail mainsail so ends

Lat 26-43



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Friday Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with a strong breeze from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> at sunset moderate and hauled all sail heading S<sup>W</sup> latter part light air so ends Lat 27-18 south

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from S heading W<sup>S</sup>W at 2 o'clock tacked to the ESE at 4 the wind hauled to the S<sup>W</sup> ship heading SSE Min part wore ship to the south east at daylight heading S<sup>W</sup> latter part the same Lat 27-25

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from SSE heading S<sup>W</sup> at sunset heading W<sup>S</sup>W Min part the wind hauled to the ESE steering SSE at daylight the wind N latter part the same so ends

Lat 28-00 south

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from S steering SSE at 4 the Min S<sup>W</sup> wore S by E at sunset furled the mainsail and got Min part squally double reefed at daylight made all sail heading S by E latter part the same so ends Lat 28-56

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong W<sup>S</sup>W steering S saw eight or nine right whale fins Min part double reefed the topsail furled the gib and mainsail latter part the same so ends

Lat 32-07

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with a heavy gale from N<sup>W</sup> steering S at 2 close reefed the topsail at 4 sent down the main top gallunt yard Min part close reefed the main topsail furled the fore topsail and foresail and hove to at daylight more moderate set the foresail and fore topsail heading SSE so ends Lat 33-12

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> the morning was fine but before noon it clouded up and



Ship Alm Baker of Wm on a Mary Warren

Thursday Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with strong  
gale from SE a squally breeze the ship too heading  
SSE at sunset having squalls of rain the same at Daylight  
moderate set the topsails double reefed at 8 went to  
the W & W latter part the same so ends Lat 33

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from S heading W & W at 2 set the gale and  
mainsail and let the reefs out the topsails  
at sunset furled the main and double reefed  
the fore and main topsails and part  
the same at Daylight made all sail latter part  
heading W & W so ends Lat 33-25'

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze from  
S heading W & W at 1 tacked to the SSE at sunset tacked  
to the S & by W and part the same at Daylight heading  
S latter part light air so ends Lat 33-50'

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air  
from SE heading SE & W at 4 P.M. saw fin backs  
and latter part calm so ends Lat 34-04

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air  
from W heading SSE at sunset a fine breeze and part  
and latter fine breeze steering S saw fin backs so ends

Lat 35-30' Long by Chron 100-53 by Obs 111-57 E

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze from  
W & W steering S at 2 P.M. saw a right humped  
and the boatsteron hooped at 3 saw whales in  
every direction lowered but did not strike. on  
account of fog came on board and double reefed and  
luffed too heading W by S and part were to the  
S at Daylight made all sail latter part strong breeze  
steering S W so ends this 23 hours

The Sweetness.



Whaling *Albert Bowen Master*

William F. Bracford, Hatter & Thatcher

Wednesday Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1840 Com with a strong breeze from SSW heading S<sup>W</sup> at 2 the wind hauled & heading SSW at 3 foggy with rain at sunset hove the ship too under close reefed main & fore sail and reefed fore sail. Mid part the same at daylight saw whale latter part chasing wild whales sounds Lat 36-15

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Com with the wind from all quarters spoke the Delphos of Holmes place with 165<sup>th</sup> lb oil at sunset steering S took in sail Mid part steering N<sup>W</sup> & S<sup>W</sup> at daylight made sail heading S<sup>W</sup> latter part saw finbacks so ends

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Com with a fresh breeze from N by S heading S<sup>W</sup> by S at 2 tacked to the SSW at sunset took in sail Mid part the same at daylight made all sail and stood to the SSW latter part saw finbacks so ends

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from W steering SSW at sunset double reefed and kept her on her course Mid part the same at daylight made sail at 7 spoke the Friendship of Fairhaven Taber with 1600 lb oil at 9 saw a right whale lowered and the boatmen missed were ship to the NNE sounds Lat 37-30 Long 113-08

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from N<sup>W</sup> by W at 4 PM saw a right whale lowered and struck and the iron Inew at sunset took in sail Mid part and latter strong gale took in the foresail so ends

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> Com with strong gale from W heading SSW were ship to the NNE at 4 PM moderate at sunset heading N<sup>W</sup> set the foresail Mid part the same at daylight moderate saw a right whale lowered and brought him along side after a hard job commenced cutting latter part the same so ends ⊕



Ship The Baker of Warren on a  
Same

To die and leave behind A M A M  
A Nought of surviving fame — M M M M M M  
A Of the divine creating mind M M A A  
A To trace, our single name; W M B B L  
A To know no end, no word, In W C C C  
A Our memory to restore, of Frank Chandler  
A But that, when gone, there shall be heard D G C  
A Of us no mention more.  
A Say, mark not that thou hear, st we sighs;  
A Oh friend! this is indeed to die.  
A But to live on and on, Heather Wilson  
A Among the great, the good, New Bedford  
A Eternal station to have won August 8<sup>th</sup> 1871 Mass  
'Died that high brotherhood; Warren is not name for  
Deep in the hearts of men the weather to day  
Enshrined to be;  
To shine a beacon to the kin  
Of far posterity:—  
Who would not days for ages give?  
Who would not die, such life to live?  
What adbe words are there,  
Who bid us bow'd our powers  
To passing pleasures, pleasant cares,  
Brief as the fleeting hours?  
So deem'd not they, I wun,  
The great of other days.  
Whose brows still wear the living green,  
Whose lights still brightly blaze,  
So deem'd not they who struck the lyre  
With Milton's truths, with Homer's fire.

Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 1866 Not enough do we



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Not from a fount divine  
Thou restless longings come—  
This hope in honor'd light to shine  
Above the cold dark tomb.  
Oh! when from life I part,  
Let me not wholly die  
Still with sweet song to charm the heart,  
Or raise with musings high,  
Still live in the remembered line—  
Oh! might this glorious mud be mine.

The Likeness

William holding in his hand  
The likeness of his wife  
Was drawn by some enchanted wand  
It looked so much like life  
He thought almost it spoke he gazed  
Upon the picture still  
And was delighted and amazed  
To view the painter's skill  
This picture looks just like you Jane  
Was drawn to nature true  
We kissed it over and over again  
It seemed so much like you  
And has it kissed thee back again dear  
Ah no indeed said he  
Then William it is all very queer  
It's not at all like me

Shakspear



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Tuesday Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with the wind from  
S heading NW by W employed in cutting, at 4 P M finished  
cutting at sunset took in sail Mid part the same  
at daylight commenced boiling latter part heading  
S W by W so ends Lat 38-14 Long 113-26

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Com with a fresh  
breeze from NW by W heading SW by W were to  
N by E at sunset were to the S W all hands  
employed in trying on sail in sight Mid part spoke  
Rebecca Davis of New Bedford with 1 whale were ship  
to the S latter part the same so ends Lat 38-13

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind  
from S heading NW by W at 1 saw a right whale  
forward and the waiste boat brought 1 along side  
at 4 finished boiling at sunset took in sail Mid  
part strong breeze at daylight strong gale commenced  
standing down latter part the same at 12 finished  
stowing down scuds.

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong gale  
from S W heading S E at sunset moderate Mid  
part the same at sunrise commenced cutting latter  
part fine weather finished cutting and were trying  
out scuds

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from S W heading S E at 1 were to the N E  
set the topsails double reefed Mid part were  
ship to the W by S latter part strong breeze one scatted crew  
employed in trying out so ends Lat 38-14 Long 114-00

Sunday Nov 1<sup>st</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from NW at sunset finished boiling Mid part were ship  
to the N E at sunrise began to stow down latter part the  
same saw a large sperm whale heading S E scuds



Voyage (Albert Bowen) Voyage Master

Monday Nov 2<sup>o</sup> 1840 Corn with a fine breeze from N.W. by E heading S.E. by E at 2 P.M. were ship to the W. by S at 8 finished stowing down mid part the same latter part thick and foggy so ends Lat 37<sup>o</sup> 40

Tuesday 3<sup>o</sup> Corn with the wind from W.S.W. at 1 P.M. saw a right whale lowered and the starboard boat brought him along side commenced cutting at sunset finished cutting mid part subm mid part the same at daylight commenced trying latter part saw right whales lowered without success so ends Lat 37<sup>o</sup> 20

Wednesday 4<sup>o</sup> Corn with a light breeze from E by S heading N.W. by W at 6 P.M. were ship to the S by W at sunset double reefed mid part the same at sunrise saw right whales lowered and the larboard boat struck the waste boat stay at 12 brought the whale along side latter part light winds and rain so ends 1 sail in sight Lat 37<sup>o</sup> 30

Thursday 5<sup>o</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from S.E. heading E began cutting at 5 finished were ship to the S.W. took in sail mid part the same at daylight commenced trying latter part employed in stowing down so ends Lat 37<sup>o</sup> 50

Friday 6<sup>o</sup> Corn with a light breeze and variable heading S.W. at 1 P.M. saw whales lowered and the larboard boat brought him along side took in sail heading E employed in trying mid part the same at 9 commenced cutting latter part the same so ends Lat 38<sup>o</sup> 57

Saturday 7<sup>o</sup> Corn with a light air from S.W. by E heading S.E. by E at 1 P.M. commenced trying at 2 were ship to the N.E. by W mid part the same latter part stowing down and boiling so ends



Ship <sup>Wm</sup> Baker of Warren on a  
Sunday November 8<sup>th</sup> 1848 Com with light  
wind and variable heading to the southward employed  
in stowing down and bocking at 4 finished stowing  
down mid part foggy latter part strong breeze heading  
W S W one watch employed in boiling seeds

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from S W heading W S W at 2 P M wore  
ships to the S S E at sunset finished boiling mid part  
the same at daylight commenced stowing down latter  
part the same so ends saw nothing

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from  
S W heading W S W at 1 P M wore ships starting  
S E at 6 the wind hauled to the S E heading S S E  
mid part the same at daylight set the topsails  
double reefed latter part the same so ends

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Com Com with the  
wind from S E heading S S E at sunset took in sail  
mid part the same at daylight made sail latter  
part heading S by S so ends

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> Com with a light breeze  
from S heading S by S at sunset spoke the Friend ship  
of Fairhaven and gained mid part the same  
at daylight made all sail steering S by S latter  
part 4 sails in sight so ends Lat 38 45 Long 116 30

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from  
W steering S by S at 4 spoke the Perseverant of  
Haver with 4 whales in company with the  
Francis of Co at sunset double reefed steering S S E  
mid part steering S S E at daylight made all sail  
saw eight whales going quick to the windward  
latter part 2 sails in sight so ends

Lat 38 58 Long 117 32



Whaling Voyage Albert Bowen Master

① Saturday Nov 15 1830 Corn with a fine breeze from W steering various courses to the eastward at 1 saw a whale lowered the waiste boat struck and hauled at 4 saw another lowered and the larboard boat brought him along side took in shell heading S 8 W Mid part fine weather at Daylight strong breeze commenced cutting later part spoke the Lucy Ann of Wilmington with 1600 bls at 11 began to boil so ends Lat 39-10

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from W & W heading S at 2 saw a right whale lowered in company with the L & A and she got the whale at sunset gammed Mid part light air at Daylight strong breeze and ruing at 10 cooled down later part murdered with heavy rain so ends

Monday 16 Corn with a light breeze from S 8 W heading W at 4 clear started the rooker at sunset fresh breeze the L & A in sight Mid part heavy squalls of wind and rain with lightning took in the foresail at 4 set the foresail at 7 finished boiling took in the foresail strong gale at 9 wore ship heading S 8 W later part the same so ends the Lucy Ann in sight Lat 38 22

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Corn with heavy gales from W heading S 8 W at 3 P M commenced stowing down one man severely bruised by a cask falling away Mid part the same at 8 finished stowing down later part set the foresail

Wednesday 18 Corn with the wind from W & W heading S at 2 P M spoke the Bingham of Natic 4 months out with 118 bls sperm oil Mid part the same at Daylight made all sail later part steering S by E



Ship <sup>Wm</sup> Baker of Warren on a

Thursday 19 Nov 1840 Corn with a fine  
breeze from W & W steering S E by S saw 2 ships in sight  
at sunset took in sail Mid part the same  
at Daylight made all sail latter part steering S E by S

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong  
breeze from N & N steering S E by S at 3 P M made  
the Barque Hope Hall of New Bedford with 70<sup>th</sup> men  
and 4 right whales at 4 strong gales took in  
sail and here too heading S W by S Mid part the  
after latter strong gales lying to & ends,

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Corn with a strong  
gales from S W heading S E at sunset moderate  
saw 1 sail to the leeward Mid part the same  
at Daylight fresh breeze and foggy latter  
part the same & ends Lat 40-18

Sunday 22 Corn with a fresh  
breeze from W & S W at 2 set the fore top  
sail and kept her off E S E at 3 shipped  
too heading S at 4 P M saw a right  
whale lowered but it was so late we did not  
strike Mid and latter part calm & ends,

Monday 23 Corn with light  
wind and variable heading to the Westward  
at 6 saw a right whale Mid part the same  
at Daylight saw right whales made sail and lowered  
the boat without success latter part heading S E by S

Tuesday 24 Corn with the wind from E by S  
heading S E by S at 2 P M saw whales lowered  
all 3 boats the starboard boat struck at 3 1/4  
P M brought him along side and commenced cutting  
at 8 finished took in sail and set the water  
boat was Mid part the same at Daylight  
made all sail commenced boiling latter part heading  
S W so ends saw finbacks



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Wednesday Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with a strong breeze from NNE heading SSW our watch employed in boiling at sunset took in sail down part strong gale at 9 heavy gale cooled down and took in the foresail latter part the same so ends.

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Corn with heavy gale from S heading WNW at sunset thick and foggy set the watch two and two mid part the same at daylight moderate started the works latter part thick and foggy employed in stowing down so ends.

Friday 29 Corn with a light air from NNE heading E at 4 the wind hauled round to the S wore ship to the WSW at 8 heavy squall of wind and rain finish stowing down and boiling mid part the same at daylight fine weather strong breeze from WNW heading N at 9 saw a dead whale at 10 took him along side and commenced cutting latter part much the same so ends.

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze from S heading SSE at 2 finish cutting and started the works at 6 saw a right whale hauled without success at sunset took in sail and set the watch mid part the same at daylight made sail heading S latter part the same so ends.

Sunday 29 Corn with the wind from W heading SSW at 5 spoke the Barque Hope took in sail wore ship to the SSE at 9 mid part calm at daylight a light air from SSE wore ship to the W at 6 commenced stowing down latter part the same so ends.



Ship <sup>Wm</sup> Baker of Warren on a  
Monday Nov 30<sup>th</sup> 1840 Corn with a  
light air from N.E. & W heading W at 3 finished stowing  
down Mid part the same at Daylight made  
all sail latter part spoke the Lucy Ann  
of Wilmington so ends 6 sails in sight  
Lat 40 44

Tuesday Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1840 Corn with  
a fine breeze from N.E. & W heading W  
at 4 saw the S. L. A. and the Barque  
Rajah take whales along side at sunset  
took in sail Mid part calm at Daylight  
a light air from N.E. & W heading S.W. latter  
part foggy & ships in sight so ends

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup>, Corn with light  
air from W. & W heading S.W. at 2 saw a  
gunn of whales lowered without success  
at 4 saw more lowered with the same  
success at sunset took in sail Mid part  
the same at Daylight fresh breeze saw a  
whale lowered and brought him along side  
latter part employed in cutting so ends the  
Hope in sight

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with a  
strong breeze from breeze N.E. & S at 2 saw  
whales lowered and struck at 4 heavy squalls  
at 6 brought him along side took in sail and  
set the watch Mid part heavy gale took in the  
main topsail at 8 very heavy squalls knocked the ship  
down the blubber shifted in the blubber was lost  
the larkboard bent latter part sailing employed  
righting the ship so ends

Saw nothing October 10<sup>th</sup> day



Whaling Voyage Albert Bowen, Master

Friday Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 1846 Com with the wind from W heading SSW at 3 moderate started the work at sunset fine weather a heavy sea. minding the whale laying along side M<sup>rs</sup> put the same at 7 commenced cutting at 10 finished latter part employed in boiling so ends Lat 41-20 south

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Com with fresh gales from W heading SSW rose ship to the ESE at 2 PM moderate set the fore topsail with red at sunset fine weather a heavy swell running M<sup>rs</sup> put the same at sunrise saw whales going quick latter part employed in stowing down and boiling so ends

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Com with a fresh breeze from NNE heading E at 4 PM saw whales going quick at sunset spoke the Ship Amethyst Capt Black of New Bedford with 16 whaling boats went on board and got my letter M<sup>rs</sup> put much the same at sunrise finished boiling latter part thick and foggy so ends

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from NE heading SE at 1 commenced stowing down at 3 finished closed reefed the maintopsail at sunset the watch boats were M<sup>rs</sup> put much the same at daylight the wind hauled round WSW heading N latter part the same

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from WSW heading N at 4 heading ESE at 5 sent the fore and maintopsails down and the fore topsail up M<sup>rs</sup> put and latter heavy gale so ends

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> Com with heavy gale from NNE heading N by W M<sup>rs</sup> put the same at daylight moderate set the fore and main topsails latter part heading N by W so ends Lat 40-59 south



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
Thursday Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with a fresh  
breeze from WNW heading S at 2 P.M. wore ship to the  
S W at 3 spoke the ship Huntress Cole of New Bedford  
with 2,000 bbls oil at sunset took in sail Mid put  
the same at Daylight set the topsails Double reefed  
at 9 saw wrought whale lowered 2 boats struck and  
hoisted latter put heading S E by S so ends

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze from S E W heading  
S E at 4 saw a whale lowered 2 boats, struck and the line parted,  
at sunset took in sail Mid put heavy gale close reefed the maintop sail at 7 moderate  
set the topsails Double reefed latter put the same so ends Thos Bennett 20

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze from  
S W at 2 P.M. made all sail at 3 wore ship to the S E W  
at sunset took in sail Mid put the same at Daylight  
heavy gale latter put the same so ends

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Com with fresh gale from  
S W heading S E at 2 P.M. wore ship to the W S W at  
sunset moderate Mid and latter put under  
so ends Lat 41 1/2

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Com with a submer  
a heavy swell remaining at sunset I sail in sight  
Mid put the same at Daylight a light air  
from S E W heading W made sail at 6 saw a right  
whale lowered 2 boats struck and parted the line  
the whale went off to the windward sporting then  
came on board and wore ship to the S E latter  
put fresh breeze so ends Lat 41 07

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> Com with a fresh breeze  
from S E W heading S E at sunset took in sail  
Mid put the same at Daylight made all  
sail latter put steering S W so ends

Lat 44 23 Long by Line 124 30



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Wednesday Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with a fresh breeze from N E W steering W by S at 4 P M thick and foggy at sunset drove reefed the fore and main topsail and kept on her course mid past the wind W were ship to the S E W at daylight made all sail latter part much the same The

Lat 41-03 S Long by Ob 123 09 East

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> Com with a light air from W heading S E W at 3 were ship to the S W at sunset spoke the Barge Harvest Fisher of Fairhaven with 1900 lbs 760 sperm mid past the same at daylight made all sail latter heading S W by W winds this day

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a fresh breeze from N W heading W S W at 6 the wind hauled round W S W were ship to the S W at sunset took in sail mid past the same at daylight strong breeze saw whales but it was so rugged we could not lower latter part the same so ends Lat 41-05 Long 121-25

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong gale from E S W heading W at 2 P M were ship to the S E saw plenty of whales at sunset moderate mid past the same at daylight made sail at 9 saw whale lowered 3 boats the Lurdon boat struck and killed and <sup>Elizabeth</sup> saw same on board latter part the same so ends

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Com with the wind from W heading S W at 4 spoke the Luce Iron and Hope and gamed mid past the same at daylight strong breeze latter part the same the Lat in sight so ends

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> Com with a light air from W heading S E W at 2 went on board the Luce Am and got 12 lbs beef and 2 molasses at sunset were ship to the S mid past the same at 9 saw whales lowered and struck 2 and killed latter part the same



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on a  
O O Thursday Dec 22<sup>d</sup> 1840 Com with a light air  
and variable at 2 P M took the whulls along side  
and commenced cutting at 9 finished set the watch  
boats crews at Daylight started the work latter  
part foggy so ends

Thursday 23<sup>d</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from S & E heading E foggy with rain at 2 o'clock down  
at 4 started the work mid part heavy squalls at 8  
commenced stowing down latter part finished stowing the  
after hold at 12 o'clock down so ends

Thursday 24<sup>d</sup> Com with heavy galls  
from N<sup>W</sup> ship heading W S W took in the foresail mid  
the same latter part very heavy galls so ends ship heading

Friday 25<sup>d</sup> Com with heavy galls, shifted  
the shelter betwixt decks were ship heading N<sup>W</sup>  
by N at sunset started the work mid part squally  
latter part much the same ship heading N<sup>W</sup>  
spoke the France of Harve with 900 bbl oil

Saturday 26<sup>d</sup> Com with a fresh breeze  
from N<sup>W</sup> & W were watch employed in  
hoisting ship heading N mid part the same  
at 2 were ship heading S by W at 9 Com stowing  
down latter part thick weather so ends

Sunday 27<sup>d</sup> Com with a fresh breeze  
from W heading S by W at 6 finished stowing  
down at sunset set the foresail mid part the same  
at Daylight made sail and wore ship to the N<sup>W</sup> latter  
part the same so ends

Monday 28<sup>d</sup> Com with a fresh breeze from  
W<sup>W</sup> heading N<sup>W</sup> at 4 tacked ship to the S one sail  
in sight to windward at sunset took in sail mid part  
the same at Daylight made sail and wore ship to the  
N latter part the same so ends Lat 42 08



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Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1840 Corn with a strong breeze from W steering S<sup>8</sup> at 6 luffed to heading S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> & at sunset took in sail mid part the same at 7 set the fore top sail latter part steering S<sup>8</sup> E<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup>  
Lat 40.15.2

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze from S<sup>8</sup> W steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> at 2 fell & split the main sail at sunset & double reefed mid part moderate at day light made all sail latter part fine weather heading S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> so ends Lat 39.19

Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> Corn with a light air from W<sup>2</sup> tacked to the S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> at 7 saw a whale called it a right whale at sunset <sup>refused</sup> ~~double~~ bent a new mainsail mid part the same at daylight made all sail latter part heading S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> so ends Lat 40.04 south

Friday January 1<sup>st</sup> 1841, Corn with a fine breeze from S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> steering S, at 8 AM the wind from W steering S by W, the man hove by a barrel falling down the hatchway, at sunset took in sail mid part heavy squalls took in the foresail and chose reef at daylight set the topsails double reefed some ships to the S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> latter part the same so ends new year day

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Lat 40.35

Corn with a strong breeze from S<sup>8</sup> W steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> by S made all sail at sunset moderate mid part the same latter part light air so ends

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with a light air from W heading S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> at sunset calms mid part the same latter part light air steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> so ends Lat 38.49

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from S<sup>8</sup> E steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> mid and latter part fine breeze steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> by S one watch employed in dunnage bins so ends

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from E steering S<sup>8</sup> W<sup>2</sup> by S mid part the same latter part employed in dunnage bins so ends  
Lat 37.28 Long 118.46



Ship <sup>Wm</sup> Baker of Warren on a  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 6<sup>th</sup> 1846. Corn with  
a fine breeze from W heading S & W at 9 P.M. heavy  
squalls of wind, took in sail and close reefed main topsails  
and part the same, at Daylight set the fore  
and main topsail double reefed; latter part steering S & W  
winds. Lat 36-24. Long. 144-52.

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup>. Corn with a strong breeze from  
W heading S & W, at 5 saw a ship, at sunset took  
in sail and spoke the Hercules schooner of New Bedford  
with 1400 flour and part the same latter  
part fine weather heading S & W so ends

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from  
W heading S & W at 2 saw the island of  
New Holland at sunset took in sail heading S & W  
the land bearing E distance 20 miles and part calm  
at Daylight a light air from heading W & W latter  
the same so ends

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air  
from S steering W & W at sunset steering W the  
land bearing S distance 20 miles and part the same  
at Daylight the wind W & W ship heading S latter  
part fresh breeze so ends

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze  
from W & W ship heading S at 2 P.M. double reefed and  
part the same at 4 tacked ship to the  
W & W latter part the same so ends

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light  
air from W & W heading S & W at sunset heading  
W & W the land in sight on the starboard beam  
and part the same at Daylight made all sail heading  
S at 8 kept off W & W latter part the same so ends

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from  
S & E steering S & W at sunset steering S & E saw the  
land and called it Cape Looe and part



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Whaling Voyage Albert Bowen Master 1840  
The sun at 2 noon ship and stood in shore  
at 9 saw the land and kept off steering down  
the coast latter part the same so ends

Wednesday Jan 13<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with a fresh  
breeze from E steering N by E running down the  
west of New Holland at sunset we entered the  
mouth of Geographers Bay at 8 we let go our anchor  
about 26 miles from town latter part went on shore  
to look for water but could not find none

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Com with fine weather at  
as to the ship Difference of Wilmington and  
the Barge Harvest of Fairbairn came to anchor  
along side of us at 6 o'clock we got under  
weigh and went to town latter part the same

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Com with fine weather  
at 2 P.M. dropped anchor off the town of  
Nap, at 7 o'clock got under weigh in company  
with the A and Harvest and started for port  
Jestina at 5 dropped anchor off the town  
latter part employed in ship's duty so ends

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> Com with fine weather  
at 4 took a raft of water and latter part  
the same so ends

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
one watch employed on shore on liberty and  
and latter part the same so ends

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a strong breeze  
from W at 8 am merchant brig from Swan  
River came to anchor loaded with Rum  
and latter part the same

Tuesday February 6<sup>th</sup> 1840 Com with fine  
with fine weather at 7 o'clock got under weigh  
and stood out to sea latter part leaving at 11 o'clock  
so ends Lat 33 1/2



Ship <sup>Wm</sup> Baker of Warren on a  
Sunday February 7<sup>th</sup> 1841. Corn with a  
fresh breeze from S.W. steering N.W. by W. at sunset  
double reefed and buffed too heading W. by S. mid part were  
ship heading E. latter part the same winds Lat 32-48

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from S.E. kept off N.E. at 4 fresh breeze at  
sunset double reefed. mid part the same  
latter part the wind S.E. from ship to the  
N.W. so ends

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air N.W. W  
were ship to the S.E. by E at 4 calm at sunset  
double reefed a breeze sprung up from N.W. ship heading  
N.E. & E. mid part were ship at daylight made sail and  
started for home latter part steering N.W. W winds Lat 32-50

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with fresh breeze  
from S. steering W. mid part the same at 2  
it is moderate set the foretopmast steering S.W.  
latter part much the same so ends Lat 30-56

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from S. steering W. by S. mid part the same  
latter part light air from S.W. heading W.N.W. Lat 32-24

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from  
S.W. heading W.N.W. at sunset saw a sail standing to the  
Eastward mid part the same at 2 were ship to the  
S.W. latter part the same at meridian ticked to the  
N.W. so ends Lat 30-27 Long by Obs 106-52

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with light breeze  
from S.W. heading N.W. at sunset heading W. & S.  
mid part the wind S. steering W. by S. latter  
part light wind so ends Lat 29-40

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from S.E. steering S.W. by S. at sunset the wind E. mid  
and latter part the same



Whaling Torage Albert Bowen

6 Monday February 16<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with a fine breeze from SE by E with all sail set steering W by N Mid part the same latter part steering S by E

7 Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from SSE steering W by S with all sail out Mid and latter part the same so ends Lat 29 15 Long 97 20

8 Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from SSE Mid part cloudy latter part steering W by S so ends

9 Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from E steering W by S Mid part the same latter part steering W so ends

10 Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light breeze from ESE steering W one watch employed in fitting rigging Mid part the same latter part calm so ends

11 Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Corn with a calm at light air from SE by S steering SE by S Mid part and latter calm so ends Lat 29 10

12 Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Corn with a calm at sunset heavy squall from S heading W S W took in all sail Mid part set the foresail and fore topsail and kept her off W S W latter part set the main topsail and gill so ends

13 Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Corn with strong breeze from SE steering W by S set the reefs out the fore and maintopsail and set the mizen to small single reefed at sunset squally Mid part fine breeze latter part made all sail so ends Lat

14 Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze SE steering W with all sail set at sunset W by S Mid part the wind ESE latter part steering W so ends one watch employed in minding gill and studding sail Long 88 East



Ship Wm Baker on her Home ward

16 Wednesday February 24<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with a light breeze from S by E steering W with all sail out and past much the same latter part the wind backing W so ends Lat 28, 11<sup>th</sup> Long 69, 58<sup>th</sup> west

17 Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fair breeze from S steering W latter part much the same so ends

18 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from E by E steering W at 6 saw whales however but could not make out what they were and past the same latter part fine breeze steering W Lat 28, 18

19 Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fair breeze from E by E steering W and latter part the same

20 Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from S by E steering W at sunset the wind S by E and latter part the same so ends Lat 28, 29 Long 69, 58<sup>th</sup> east

21 Monday March first 1841 Corn with a fresh breeze from E steering W and latter part the same

22 Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Corn with a light breeze from E by E heading W by N at sunset steering W and latter part the wind N by E steering W by S latter part the same so ends Lat 28, 26

23 Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with the wind from N steering W by E at sunset the wind N by E heading W and part squally with heavy thunder and sharp lightning took in all sail at 4 and away under sail heading W latter part fine weather saw a sail bound to the westward so ends

24 Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light breeze from N by E heading W at sunset heading S by E and equally and part calm with rain latter part light air from N heading W by N one sail in sight so ends

Lat 28, 48



Bowen Passage Albert Bowen Shipper

24 Friday 5<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> at sunset a fine breeze S<sup>W</sup> E all sail set Mid part the same latter part strong breeze steering N<sup>W</sup> by N sounds Long 38:42

25 Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze from S<sup>W</sup> at 3 P.M. took in the gallant and lower stunsails at sunset the wind E<sup>W</sup> E Mid part the same latter part fine breeze set the stunsails so ends Lat 28:07 Long 38:23

26 Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid and latter part the same so ends Lat 28:16

27 Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from E<sup>W</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid part the same latter part the wind E<sup>W</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> by N so ends Lat 28:10

28 Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light breeze from E steering N<sup>W</sup> by N at sunset the wind E<sup>W</sup> E Mid part fresh breeze latter part steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Long 38:40

29 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from E<sup>W</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> at 4 P.M. the wind S<sup>W</sup> by S steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid and latter part the same so ends Lat 28:18 Long 38:28

30 Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from E<sup>W</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> Mid and latter part the same

31 Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from E<sup>W</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> Mid part calm at 6 the wind strong N<sup>W</sup> from S<sup>W</sup> by N heading N<sup>W</sup> latter part strong breeze and squally double reefed so ends Long 38:55

32 Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with fresh gales from S<sup>W</sup> by N heading N<sup>W</sup> at sunset reefed the main sail Mid part Mid part moderate latter part made all sail so ends Lat 29:50 north

33 Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from S steering N<sup>W</sup> at 4 squally took in the fore top gallant Mid part and latter steering N<sup>W</sup> by N so ends Lat 30:15 Long 38:38



Ship *Wm Baker* of Warren on her  
34 Monday March 16<sup>th</sup> 1844 Com with a fresh  
breeze from S steering W & N Mid part the same latter  
part the wind S & heading W & N & winds

35 Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze from  
S & heading W & N Mid part heavy squalls took in sail  
and wore ship heading S & S latter part being too sudden  
close reefed main topsail and reefed fore sail so ends

Lat 30 32 Long 81 47

36 Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Com with heavy gale from  
W & N heading S at 3 moderate wore ship heading  
W & N set the gill and closed reefed fore topsail and  
main sail at 4 saw a Brig bound round the cape Mid part  
moderate made all sail heading W & S off latter part the  
wind S E steering S & W by W so ends Lat 31 30

37 Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze from  
S E steering S & W by W at 2 P.M. saw land off the lee bore  
at 4 saw two sails bound to the S & W at sunset the  
land bearing W & N distance 20 miles Mid part  
steering S & W at daylight W & S & W latter part steering  
breeze so ends Lat 34 30 Long 87 12 East

38 Friday 19 Com with a fresh breeze from  
E steering W & N the wind S E at 4 calm calm  
at 6 a light air from S latter part the same

39 Saturday 20 Com with a light air  
from S steering W & S & W at sunset a breeze from  
S E Mid part the same latter part the wind  
W & S & W so ends two sails in sight

40 Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Com with the wind W & S & W  
heading S & W at 4 saw the Land at sunset the land  
bearing S distance 20 miles Mid part calm latter  
part light air from W & S & W heading S & W one sail in  
sight so ends Cape Verde Bearing N & W distance 26 miles



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41 Monday March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1841 Corn with  
a light air from S<sup>W</sup> heading ESE at 1 P.M.  
tacked ship heading N<sup>W</sup> at 4.45 P.M.  
at 8 P.M. calm <sup>at 9</sup> a strong breeze from S<sup>W</sup>  
heading WSE wind just squally at 2 the  
wind hauled round S<sup>W</sup> tacked ship heading  
WSE <sup>at 3</sup> latter part light air, one sail in sight

42 Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Corn with a light air from  
WSE heading N<sup>W</sup> at 4 P.M. a light air from  
S steering WSE set the studding sails at sunset  
Cape Laguilhas bearing N distance 20 miles wind  
strong breeze from S steering N<sup>W</sup> by N at daylight  
the Cape of Good Hope bearing N distance 25 miles latter  
part the same steering NSE sails in sight

43 Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind from  
SE heading NSE at 3 P.M. the wind hauled round N<sup>W</sup>  
tacked ship heading NSE at sunset ~~at 8~~ tacked  
bearing ESE distance 40 miles wind just tacked  
ship to the WSE at 3 tacked again to the NSE by N  
latter part the same sounds Lat 33.19 south

44 Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from  
N<sup>W</sup> at 1 tacked to the WSE the Coast bearing ESE  
at 6 tacked to N by E at 8 tacked to WSE wind just  
squally double reefed at daylight one ship to N by N sailing

45 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze N<sup>W</sup>  
heading N by N at 4 tacked to the WSE wind  
just squally with rain at 2 one ship to the  
NSE at 5 moderate breeze all sail latter part  
heading from N to N by E sounds Lat 32.40 south

46 Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh  
breeze from N heading ESE at 5 one ship to  
the W by N at 8 squally double reefed wind just heavy  
squalls took in gill and mainsail at 3 moderate the wind  
WSE steering NSE latter part made all sail sounds



Ship Wm Baker of Warren on her  
47 Sunday March 28<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with a fair breeze  
from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N at 3 set the fore top  
mast shudding sail Mid and latter part calm  
so ends Lat 31-31 south Long 15-21 East

48 Monday 29<sup>th</sup> Corn with a calm  
at 5 a light air from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N  
and latter part fair breeze from S<sup>E</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N  
so ends Lat 30-31 south

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fair breeze from  
S<sup>E</sup> by E heading N<sup>W</sup> by N at 4 sent the main royal aloft and  
set it Mid part calm at 5 at 6 a light air from N<sup>W</sup>  
heading N<sup>E</sup> E latter part fair breeze so ends Lat 29-30

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> Corn with a fair breeze from  
N<sup>W</sup> heading N<sup>E</sup> E at sunset squally with in the fore  
top gallant sail ship heading N<sup>W</sup> by E Mid part the same  
latter part light air heading N<sup>E</sup> by N Lat 27-30

Thursday April 1<sup>st</sup> 1841 Corn with a  
light breeze from S<sup>W</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N at 3  
Pek set the fore top and main top gallant steering  
sails Mid part fair breeze S<sup>E</sup> E latter part  
much the same so ends Lat 26-27 south Long 10-28<sup>East</sup>

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from  
S<sup>S</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> by N with all sail set Mid and latter  
the wind S<sup>E</sup> so ends Lat 25-04 south

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from S<sup>E</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid and latter part  
the same so ends Lat 23-36 south Long 6-10 East

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from  
S<sup>S</sup> E steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid and latter part fresh  
breeze so ends Lat 22-04 Long 3-26 East

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh breeze from  
S<sup>E</sup> steering N<sup>W</sup> by N Mid and latter part the same  
so ends Lat 20-35 south Long 1-00 East

T Sat S<sup>E</sup> trade 27-30 Long 11-00 East



Hornward bound passage Albert Bowyer

Thursday April 6<sup>th</sup> 1841. Corn with a fresh breeze from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at 1<sup>st</sup> mid and latter part thick and cloudy so ends Lat 18° 51'

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light breeze from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at 1<sup>st</sup> mid and latter part the same so ends Lat 14° 23' Long 3° 13' West

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from SE steering N<sup>W</sup> by E at 1<sup>st</sup> mid sunset fine breeze at 7 saw the Island of St Helena latter part steering for it so ends

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at 4 came to anchor off Portsmouth latter part on watch on shore on liberty the other painting ship

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Corn with fine weather at 6 P.M. got under weigh and stood out to sea mid part fine breeze from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E latter part light air so ends Lat 16° 23'

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at sunset all hands employed in catching fish & sails in sight mid and latter part the same so ends

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at sunset steering S<sup>W</sup> by E mid and latter part the same so ends

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at sunset steering S<sup>W</sup> by E mid and latter part the same so ends

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at sunset steering S<sup>W</sup> by E mid and latter part the same so ends Lat 13° 11' South

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> Corn with light air from SE steering S<sup>W</sup> by E at sunset steering S<sup>W</sup> by E mid and latter part the same so ends Long 11° 20' West

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Ship Wm Baker of Warrington in  
Saturday April 17<sup>th</sup> 1841. Com with a  
fine breeze from S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> W mid and  
latter part steering ex<sup>st</sup> N by E sounds.

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> Com with a light  
breeze from S E by E steering ex<sup>st</sup> W mid and  
latter part fine breeze Lat 8:56 south

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from S E by E steering ex<sup>st</sup> W mid and  
latter part steering ex<sup>st</sup> by N by E sounds Lat 6:30 long

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Com with a fine breeze from  
S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> by N by E mid and latter part  
the same sounds Lat 4:40 south Long 16:30 West

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Com with the wind from  
S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> by N by E at 4 o'clock spoke the  
Ship Persian of Sunderland England bound  
Hobart Town and got some papers mid and  
latter part light air Lat 3:15 south

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Com with a light air from  
S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> by N by E mid and latter part steering  
ex<sup>st</sup> N by E sounds Lat 1:30 south Long 18:45

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Com with a fine breeze  
from S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> W mid latter part steering  
ex<sup>st</sup> at daylight saw a ship bound to the south  
ward latter part the same Lat 1:30 miles N

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Com with a light  
air from S E steering ex<sup>st</sup> at 2 P.M. saw two  
ships bound to the southward called them  
English Emigrants at sunset calm mid and  
latter part the wind from all directions  
in squalls Lat S E Trade 1:30 North Long 18:20 West

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> Com with the  
wind from E with rain at sunset saw a  
ship bound to the southward at 10 o'clock the Adventure  
15 days from Liverpool bound to Madras and latter the same



his Homeward Bound Page Albert Rowen

Tuesday April 26<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with a calm and thick rainy weather at 3 P.M. a light air from E steering N by E at 6 saw a Ship bound to the southward Mid and latter part calm 2 sails in sight so much Lat 26° 3 North Long 30° 30 West

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> Corn with a calm at 4 a light breeze from E heading N by E at Mid and latter part light air and variable sounds Lat 3° 17 North

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from S steering N by E at 3 saw a school of Duckfish lower and got one at 6 caught a shark and took 40 young ones from him Mid part calm latter part light breeze from E steering N by E sounds Lat 3° 33 North Long 21° 42 West

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light air from E steering N by E at sunset heavy squalls of rain 3 sails in sight Mid part light air latter part calm sounds Lat 4° 03 North

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Corn with a calm at sunset a light air from E steering N by E Mid part the wind heading N by E latter part much the same sounds

Sunday May 1<sup>st</sup> 1841 Corn with the wind from E heading N by E at sunset heading N by E Mid part fine breeze latter part much the same sounds Lat 5° 00 North

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Corn with a light air from N by E heading N by E Mid and latter part much the same sounds Lat 5° 20 North

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Corn with a fine breeze from N by E heading N by E Mid part fine breeze latter part light air heading N by E Lat 5° 00 North Got N.E. trade 430 North



Whip Wm Baker of Warren R.I. on her  
Tuesday May 4<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with a  
light air from N by E heading N W by W at  
sunset fine breeze heading N N W mid and  
latter part steering N by E & so ends

Lat 7.00 North

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine  
breeze from N E steering N by E & on sail  
in sight mid and latter part fine breeze

Lat 8.30

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze  
from N E steering N by E & on watch employed  
in taring rigging mid and latter part strong breeze

Lat 10.00 North Long 31.65 West

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze  
from N N E heading E by N at sunset heading  
N by N & took in top gallant studding sail mid and  
latter part the same so ends Lat 11.50 North Long 33.29

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong  
breeze from N E by N steering E by N at 6 took in  
fore topmast studding sail and fore top gallant  
mid and latter part the same Lat 13.45 North

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> Corn with a strong breeze  
from N E steering E by N set the fore top gallant  
sail and fore top mast studding sail mid and  
latter part the same so ends Lat 15.37 Long 39.00 West

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Corn with the wind  
N E steering N W mid and latter part the  
same so ends Lat 17.25

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fresh  
breeze from N E steering E by N at sunset  
moderate steering N by E & mid part the same  
latter part steering N by E so ends Lat 19.17 North  
Long 44.00 West



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Homeward Bound Passage from New Holland.

Wednesday May 12<sup>th</sup> 1841 Corn with  
a fine breeze from N E by E steering E by N  
at 8 saw a sail standing on a wind to the  
Northward mid and latter part much the same  
sends Lat 24:10 Longitude 47:20 West

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> Corn with a fine breeze,  
steering N E by N mid and latter part much the  
same sends Lat 23:12 North Long 49:40 West

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Corn with fine breeze  
from E by E steering E by N at 4 light seen  
N E by N mid and latter part steering E by N  
sends Lat 24:40 Long 51:12 West

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> Corn with a light  
breeze from E steering E by N by N mid  
part the same steering N E by N at 8 spoke the  
Brig Adeline Wilmington N E bound to  
Matanzas latter part steering E by N  
sends Lat 24:58 Long 54:10 West

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> Corn with the  
wind from E steering E by N by N  
mid and latter part the same sends  
Lat 26:26 Long 56:34

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Corn with a  
fine breeze from E steering E by N  
mid and latter part the same

Lat 28:03 Long 58:15 West

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Corn with a  
fine breeze from E steering E by N by N  
mid part the wind S by S latter part the  
wind N E sends

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Corn with the  
wind N E by N heading E at 2 P M calm  
with rain mid part the same latter part a  
light air from E steering E by N sends



Ship Thos Baker of Warren. on

Thursday May 20<sup>th</sup> 1845. Comm with

a fine breeze from E steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  at 9 heavy squalls bore up the main topsail and run under maintopsail and foresail at 2 o'clock moderate made sail latter part fine weather the wind  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  heading  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  sounds Lat  $30:52$  Long  $61:48$

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Comm with a light air

from  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  heading  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  at 2 tacked to the  $\text{W}^{\circ}\text{E}$  at sunset heading  $\text{E}$  by  $\text{E}$  tacked to the  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  one sail in sight bore to the southward mid part wore ship to the  $\text{E}$  at 9 tacked to the  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  winds

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Comm with a light

air from  $\text{E}$  by  $\text{N}$  heading  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  at 5 heavy squalls of wind bore up reefed at 6 bore reefed the fore and mizen topsails and reefed the mainsail at sunset the wind  $\text{E}$  by  $\text{E}$  steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  mid part fine weather made all sail latter part steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  sounds

Lat  $31:32$  Long  $63:25$

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> Comm with fine breeze

from  $\text{E}$  by  $\text{E}$  steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  at 6 kept off  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  and set fore to mast stunsail mid part steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  at 3 o'clock saw the Island of Bermuda bearing  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  kept off  $\text{S}^{\circ}\text{W}$  at 6 tacked to  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  at sunrise the island bearing  $\text{E}$  distance 20 miles latter part fine breeze sounds

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Comm with a fine breeze

from  $\text{E}$  steering  $\text{N}^{\circ}\text{W}$  by  $\text{E}$  mid part latter part light air sounds Lat  $33:36$  Long  $67:58$



To Henry

Take back the ring I may not wear  
The gem I used to prize  
I would not e, en in morning hear  
This proof of former ties

Take back this golden chain you gave  
With every pledge I, I part  
For never never can it wear  
Its links around my heart

Take back the volume that fair then  
Given in love's fond name  
For since the sacred tie is broken  
The gift I cannot claim

The seal of truth the page so fair  
Inscribed by love and thee  
Even this bright curl of autumn hair  
No more is dear to me

Those who never shall squal thy name  
No thoughts of thee intrude  
One sigh from my chilled heart to claim  
Is this lone solitude Harriet

Echo

Answering as echo doth some tone  
Of fairy music among the hills  
So hide itself we seek in vain  
Which is the echo which the strain



## HYMN

For the Mariners' House, *House A B C*  
 Heaved on the billows of the main *D E F G H I J*  
 And downed from goan to goan to ram *K L M N O*  
 The seaman tailed for others' gain *P Q R S T U*  
 But for himself he had no home *V W X Y Z*  
*Sophia H. Bennett Esq. Wm. D. D.*  
 No father's door was open thing  
 From him just rescued from the wreck  
 No sister clasped her arms and hung  
 In speechless joy around his neck  
*James D. Caswell Wareham*  
 But he was cast upon a world *Ocean*  
 More dangerous than the ocean's roar  
 When o'er his bark the surges curled  
 And drove it on a leeward shore

*James Council*  
*James Council*  
 He had no home;—and so had he  
 Who, as his bark began to fill  
 Said to the Lake of Galilee  
 When lashed by tempests, "Fear! Be still!"

*and plume gay*  
*with form gentle*  
 Of winds and dashing waves the sport  
 By perils, which at sea, best  
 The sailor found himself in sport  
 Exposed to greater perils yet

*See is a little fellow*  
*Sophia Esq. of Chicago all men*  
 False brethren were his perils there \*  
 And perils by his countrymen  
 And perils by the sevens fair  
 That lured him to the robbers den

But now a Brother† stands in stand  
 With open arms to take him in  
 And spreads a banquet and a bed

That may be tasted without sting  
 \* 20 or 11-26 † Rev Edward D. Taylor formerly a seaman



Yes! the poor seamen hath a home!  
We thank the God for what we see  
Let him no more mid' perils roam  
But come at once to it and thee.

Welcome Mother  
Welcome Mother; while I greet you,  
Can I all my feelings tell,  
How this heart has longed to meet you,  
Since my lips breathe out farewell.

Welcome Mother; while I greet you  
Fondly to my youthful heart;  
Every word I speak shall bless you,  
While I tell how dear thou art.

Welcome Mother; I have often  
Known thine image in my dream,  
Memories touch thy spell would soften,  
Dressing life in golden beam.

Alone forsaken midst the smiling,  
Longing for some absent one,  
I have stored one thought beguiling,  
'Twas the thought of thee alone.

Welcome Mother; life's before me,  
Days of sunshine and of tears,  
But with thy fond guidance over me,  
Joy may shine in after years.

I have cherished, dearly cherished,  
All the lessons given me,  
Every prayer my bosom nourished,  
Has been brought with love to thee.

Solomon

Samuel

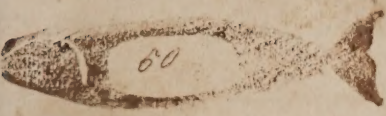
Mothers & Children meet at Sun 10<sup>th</sup> 1866  
He gave me one also July 20<sup>th</sup> 1866



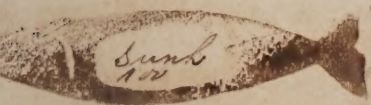




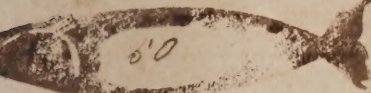
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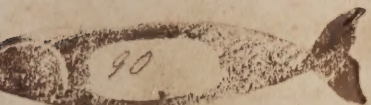
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Feb 17 1840

No more for me.

Thomas Bennett

Thomas Bennett Clear Wheat

Sarah Marcell

Sarah Mayam

Sarah Taber

Wright Whale

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James Barrell  
Archiburn  
Wright



# The Matrimonial Ladder

While graceful Chloe leads the gay quadrille  
With new sensations Stephens brown fills  
An introduction gained the youth advances  
And hopes she's engaged the two next Danes

The suit obtained they tread the maze round  
At length obtained a seat's convenient form<sup>patience</sup>

Stephen assiduous pleads the glistening fan  
And proves himself a very nice young man

With favouring smile the fair one hears his <sup>prattle</sup>  
Sips lemonade and wows her quite a rattle  
Then as new raptures rise in every glance  
Exclaims I think we'd better join the Danes

Next morning he calls the custom very odd  
To hope the lady has not taken cold  
Thinks she looks charmingly in Dishes till  
And tells what pangs his stricken brown fill

How sweet joy with soft confusion veils  
Miss gently chucks her swain's romantic tails  
She's sure mamma will think these raptures well  
She knows not how to act she's quite a shell  
With sighs and wows persists the wounded swain  
Begs she'll recall those words and think again  
Fearsful of furies or vets from mamma

The softening nymph refers him to papa

Joy in his lips and rapture on his tongue  
On neat red tape his various parchments strung  
See Stephen bears the mystic circlet high  
Which his hopes tide flow strong his terrors fly

At church arrived on some unlucky day  
Poor Chloe faints out the word obey  
Thus of love's ladder gained the topmost place

Her downward course the sorrowing muse must trace

Admiration Flirtation Applaudition Declaration

Hesitation Agitation Acceptation Solimanization



Her honey moon and raptures fled to gather  
Behold a moral walk in dirty weather

The stile is slippery but in vain the dam  
Sure for that and which once unasked for came

At evening tete-a-tete you next shall see  
No friendly chat succeeds departed tea

Blue turns the candles and the myonish looks blue  
And rumination serves them but to rue

No more a social walk the morn employs  
A greasy novel constitutes her joys  
While he poor soul condemned alone to scan the  
Times with some friend and expatiate his Decanter

Returned at eve unnumbered querries wait him  
And she who loved so late appears to hate him  
From trifles and swells

The



1  
I was early one morning on the eighteenth of July  
When a maid she asked my trade I made her  
this reply

Its for my occupation I consider up and  
down.

And the chief of my employment is in  
mowing meadows down

Ship ~~the~~ Baker

O she say my handson, you're a young  
man a maver if you be

I have small meadows laid up in  
store for the

O like the dew I tell you there it was  
never mowed



|                                      |                                              |        |           |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| List of ships spoken by the Wm Baker |                                              |        |           |
| Nov 9                                | Friendship Tabor Fairhaven                   | 2000   |           |
| Do 10                                | Rebecca Simms New Bedford                    | 80     |           |
| Do 18                                | Bingham Meistie                              | 40     |           |
| Do 19                                | Barge Hope New Bedford                       | 1200   |           |
| Dec 6                                | Amethyst Black Fairhaven                     | 1000   |           |
| Do 10                                | Huntress Cole New Bedford                    | 2000   |           |
| Do 14                                | Barge Harvest Fishin Fairhaven               | 1900   |           |
| Do 25                                | Truman Harve                                 | 900    |           |
| Do 20                                | Lucy Ann Cox Wilmington                      | 2100   |           |
| Jan 7 - 1841                         | Ship Hercules Richardson N Bedford           | 1500   |           |
| Do - 15                              | Ship Jefferson of Wilmington                 | 2300   |           |
| Do Do                                | Barge Harvest Fishin Fairhaven               | 2100   |           |
| Do 15                                | Ship Loyeths <sup>Spring</sup> Salem         | 480    |           |
| Do Do                                | Ship Wmms <sup>Spring</sup> Falmouth         | 1000   |           |
| Do Do                                | Barge Garland Day New Bedford                | no val |           |
| Feb 1                                | Friendship Tabor Fairhaven                   | 2700   | stern 400 |
| Do                                   | Newark Windsor Poughkeepsie                  | 2500   | 300       |
| Do                                   | Jefferson Barker Wilmington                  | 2500   | 1250      |
| Do                                   | Mary Mitchell New York                       | 1200   |           |
| Do                                   | Hercules Richardson New Bedford              | 1800   | 800       |
| Do                                   | Barth Briggs New Bedford                     | 700    |           |
| Do                                   | London Harding New Bedford                   | 2700   | 850       |
| Do                                   | Barge Harvest Fishin Fairhaven               | 2100   | 750       |
| Do                                   | <sup>superior</sup> Barge Smalley Wilmington |        | 800       |
| Do                                   | Mary Richardson New Bedford                  | 1200   | 400       |
| Do                                   | Lionidas Stewart Fairhaven                   | 500    | 800       |
| Do                                   | Wapoon Thicket New York                      | 1450   | 1450      |
| Do                                   | Barge Rajah West New Bedford                 | 2400   | 600       |
| Do                                   | Hercules Swain New Bedford                   |        | 600       |
| April                                | Barge Rajah West N Bedford                   | 2300   |           |
| Do                                   | Do North New Bedford                         | 1300   |           |
| Ship                                 | Tadon New London                             | 2500   |           |
| Do                                   | Ediston Do                                   | 1700   |           |
| Barge                                | Boon New London                              | 1800   |           |



Time was when I was free as air  
 The thistles downy seed my fair  
 My drink the morning dew  
 And as I perched on every spray  
 My form gentle my plumage gay  
 My strains fore ever new Thomas Bennett  
 Hoony makes the mare go Simon Pistole  
 There was at time as some do say  
 The most part of my days the most the  
 Every lady in the land  
 Has twenty nails on each hand  
 Five and twenty on hands and feet.  
 All this is true without deceit.  
 I wish we ~~could~~ get some of it  
 and then go home

Queen  
 Q Q Don't try  
 Q Queens Ship Wm Baker To tell Thomas Bennett  
 Thomas Bennett Thos & Thos Bennett  
 I can tell Island queen  
 here to Rhoda Ann Queen  
 Q Q  
 Shop I  
 Gas

Sophia Sophia  
 Sophia  
 Bees still I



$$\frac{2 \text{ of } 9}{8} = \frac{6 \text{ of } 4}{12} = \frac{24}{60} + \frac{210}{420} = \frac{10080 + 19600}{21040 + 21940} =$$

$$\frac{2 \text{ of } 6}{6} = \frac{20 \text{ of } 5}{4} = \frac{210}{420}$$

$$\frac{10080 + 19600}{21940} = \frac{22680}{21940} = \frac{210}{420}$$

$$\frac{420}{19200}$$

Keep it strong today  
 No. 18 card in the 'Blessing' box

Pay from the 1st to the 1st of the month  
 210  
 19200

$$\frac{19600}{10080} = 22680$$

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Spermato Charles P. Smith  
 Mathias Linyard.  
 Wright Whales Sunday Sept 11 1835  
 Sprout Hole Wright Whale  
 Back

Bonnet Whelp



Throat

Ship Condor New Bedford  
 Wright Whale doing duty  
 Ship Condor New Bedford  
 Thomas Bennett  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Belly  
 Rendish  
 Brand



Thomas Bennett 1840

Ship Wm Baker Warren Rhode Island.

Loring Ames  
 of North Fairhaven



Ship Wm Baker Warren Rhode Island



Small

Lily Puscian

Command  
Command

Commandment



204

Shed

August 22 1857

I am at  
at the house



Right Whale

Drawn Sunday Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1885

By C. P. Smith



There goes black

Lepidotelephus

Lepidotelephus



James D. Cornell  
To

My dear friend

So often I wish it was so  
more of the world's sorrows  
kept at bay

it were one but I know it  
is the suffering I am  
your friend  
sincerely  
James D. Cornell

Yours truly  
James D. Cornell

With sympathy  
and love  
to all  
friends and  
loves

Suffering humanity



Sweet are the upland fields indeed,  
 Hearts, goats doth scandalously on them tread;  
 When your love and mine doth part,  
 Shall leave a sting on each others heart;  
 I'll go to some grove and make my moans  
 Lie down and die as many have done;  
 All this and more I have to say,  
 Night calls to me and I must obey;  
 With strict attention mark every line, and  
 Your a question here will find.

May 12<sup>th</sup> 1798 it is a long day

Now having pulled up to him  
 the cross a left - his hand  
 it back a stem my lovely boys  
 it Now the Lord command  
 you see the fifth most dreadfully  
 the will show our best so small  
 do back adorn my lovely boys  
 do back adorn boys all  
 At last he stops his fighting  
 and turns his blood to down  
 down hundred fathers of our line  
 the loghead goes round  
 at last he stops his downing  
 to sell his when our  
 our line well quickly  
 had on board  
 our hearts you free from care

Mary

8th



and with full of love when they have  
that they could be one more

5th

At this time the whaling men trouble

is fairly but begin and

and what they have to encounter

is shortly for to come

for their they come what months or so

and never see a whale

their water all stagnated grows

stagnant their fishermen have

will purchase all animals

and families behind

it will make the harvest Wholman

to save his fat and find

it will make them all rejected

and spirit's death quite have

the spirit never from our most head

it's their the spirit Wholman

Oh then they jump full of joy

their hearts to clear away

take up that bright and glittering craft

all fitted for the fray

the men are rushing and do bend

before the sea the whales

there is a noble sperm whale says

at shooting towards the shore



Whispering along  
Come all ye force ~~the~~ <sup>many</sup> men  
that through the raging men  
that goes to sea in much about ship  
and safe return again  
Come back to my home  
which I to you relate  
Conceiving our love Wholesome  
and their most desirable part

Sophia Smith  
divine as you  
may know  
in them they  
and then in prison day  
it when they get off ready  
if then they will set out  
Dance to the devil in deep my boys  
and then to give to whole

It first they over the ocean  
by those and miles in  
think they arrive at that dead point  
where the gale do blow  
it then they beat a month or two  
just as the gale agree  
left to the mercy of the wind  
afraid of the raging sea

Find if they are but weak  
in spite of gale of wind  
then on the coast of Chile  
Cot's square of heat they find  
which make them bend their backs  
and blow their fingers and toes  
Sept 1795

B. Bennett  
Bennett



Mary Ann Edsors Thomas Bennett  
hinder pander

Ship Condor of New Bedford on a voyage  
S Sylvia Cornish Wm 43

Sylvia C Eliza Ann A Johnson  
11 11 Thomas Bennett Ann St G Wm  
Thomas Bennett

J P O Thomas Bennett  
Thomas Bennett B

Thomas Bennett Bennett Bennett  
Bennett Ship Condor

Sylvia Cornish  
New Thomas Bennett Ship B

New Bed Thomas Bennett  
B B B

Ship Condor New Bedford B  
ships condor of the same

Albert Bowen New Bedford

Albert Bowen New Bedford

B B B  
Thomas Bennett B B  
Bennett

Hannah Blackman of Fairhaven  
Mass

Thos the L Sophia H Bennett

John Bennett F F  
John Bennett F F

B R R R R Randall



Benjamin on the side of St Helena  
Beauve B B B

Bury he is gone from the coast of all fighting  
He has gone to a place that he never took  
delight in Elizabeth M Bennett  
Oh there he may sit down and tell the  
scenes he has seen at N N North  
While forlorn he doth mourn on the  
side of St Helena N N North

Mary Ann Edson Frutkin  
Louise does mourn for her husband  
Departed Sarah Ann Bradford  
She dreams when she sleeps and wakes  
broken hearted Alas Word S  
Not a friend to console her from then  
that might be with her R B E D  
But she mourns when she thinks of  
isle St Helena James Ellis Bennett  
North N N North  
Come all ye that have got wealth  
Pray beware of ambition S  
For it is a decree in fate that might  
change your condition N Bent  
Be ye steadfast in time for what  
is to come ye know not  
For fear that ye may be changed  
Like he on the side of St Helena  
N —

The rude, rushing waves are around  
The shores are washing  
And the great billows heave and the  
wild rocks are dashing  
He may look to the moon of the great house  
With his eye over the waves that are  
around St Helena



No more in St Clouds he will be seen in  
such splendour

Or go on with his crowd with the great  
alexander

For the young King of Rome and the prince  
of gaul

Days he will bring his father home from  
the isle of St Helena

Ye partiments of England and the  
holy alliance

Ye a prisoner of war you may now bid  
defiance

For your base enticements and your  
base misdemeanours

Have caused him to die on the isle  
of St Helena &c &c

St Helena Lat 16 Long 5

St Helena

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St Helena Lat 16 Long 5

Hannah Mendall Blackmer of Fair Haven  
Elizabeth M Bennett of the same Mass

James Madison Riley

James Madison Riley

Thomas Bennett &c

Albert Bowen Warren R.F.  
master

James Madison Riley



Jack Purver Jack Purver

In Latham lived a merchant  
A very wealthy man.

He had an only daughter  
As you shall understand

And ting tice e um do

She was courted by Lords and Dukes  
And many a wealthy knight  
There was none but Jack the sailor  
Could gain her hearts delight

When her father came to hear of this  
An angry man was he  
Saying i will press young Jack the  
Sailor  
All in the robes of Germany

Now Jack he is on board  
With sorrow and trouble mind  
Leaving of his own true love  
So closely confined

Now Jack he is on board  
No more of him i'll see  
Saying i will be at your disposal  
If you will set me free

She left her fathers house  
and dressed in mans array  
She is waiting for an officer  
To carry her away



Jack Monroe

As do not list any young men  
Until their names we know  
So boldly she answered him  
They call me Jack Monroe

Now Jack she is on board  
With a sword and trouble mind  
Go Land at French Flanders  
To her whole design

She fought in many a battle  
She fought courageously  
Private and colonels  
Down by her side die die

An officers commission  
On you I will bestow  
Laying push and make you fortune  
My Darling Jack Monroe

The drums they did beat  
And the trumpets they did sound  
And for the field of battle  
They all did march around

She walked among the ranks  
And among the wounded men  
And there she saw her own brother  
She thought he had been slain

Hiram Hammett Secy, Condon  
Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1838

Sarah E. Chase West Gushing



Jack Monroe

She pulled out her handkerchiefs  
Some private marks to show  
Saying Jacky wont you marry me  
Oh Jacky dont you know

The priest he was sent for  
The knot for to be tied  
The officers and privates  
Begrudged Jack his bride Sophia & Jack  
William & Mary

The drums they did beat  
And the trumpets they did sound  
And for Old England  
They march around

And as they were going down <sup>street</sup> ~~down~~  
The people they did say  
Heres come the best of men  
From the wars of Germany

~~At this~~ This is a peasant  
I do not like your clothing  
I do not like your talk  
I do not like that vagabond  
That by your side does walk

Fayette E. Randall

Sophia

Thers up steps her mother  
And unto her did say  
You look just like my daughter  
That from thers went away

Adm 11/18

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Thomas Bennett

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H

Richard



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Sophia & Bennett

Thos

Thomas Bennett

Elizabeth Macomber Bennett

Mary Jane Wing

Aug  
Thomas

Thomas & Bennett

Emma

Thomas Bennett



